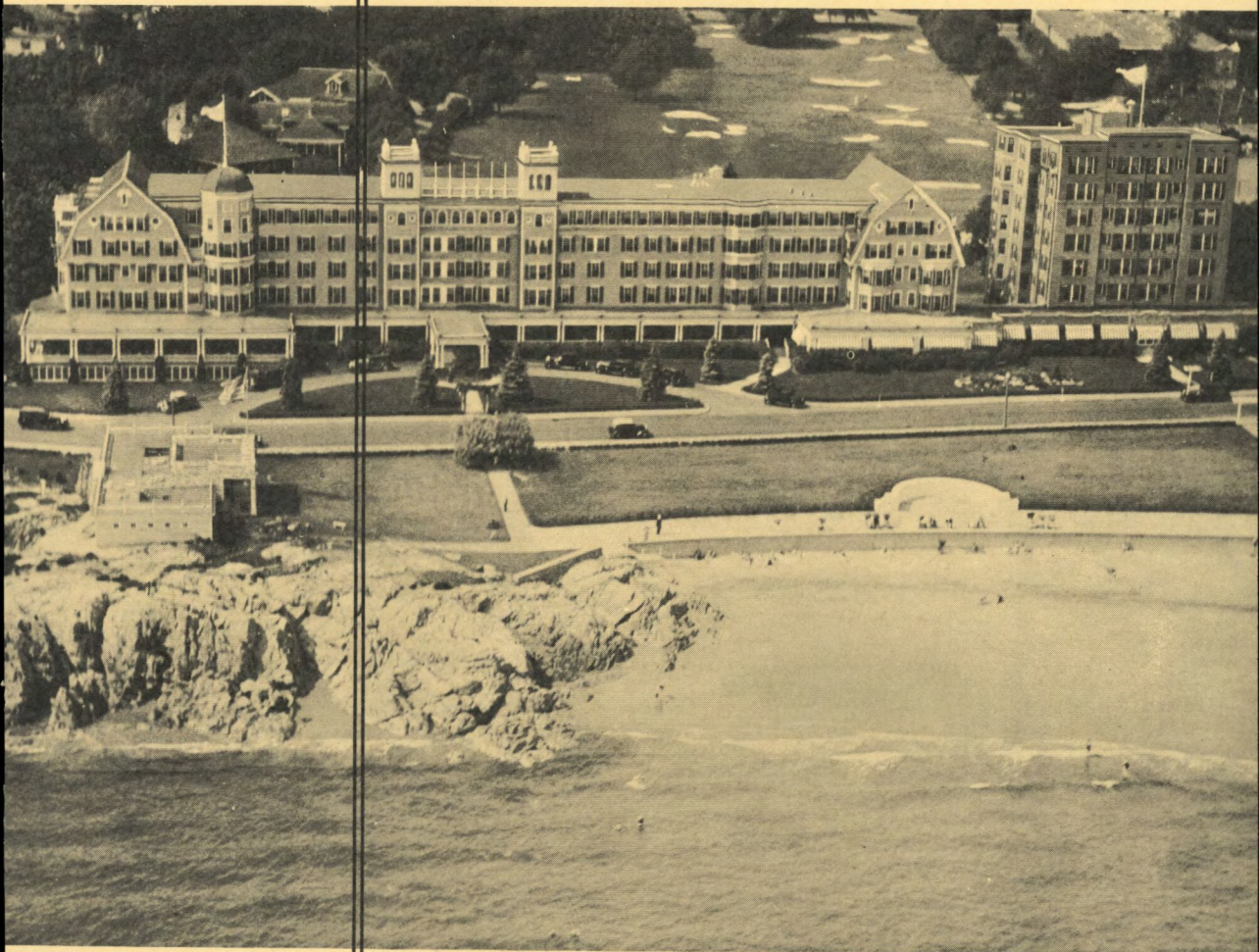


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Theta's Tapestry

The pattern of Kappa Alpha Theta's tapestry was drawn by four pioneering college girls at DePauw university. The first threads of both warp and woof were their ideals for noble womanhood. The tapestry's first scene was of their friendship expressed through the symbols of the Theta badge.

During 80 years many young hands have woven strands in this tapestry. Some hands wove but a few threads, while hands more deft at weaving were called upon to complete a scene, or to design additional incidents in the tapestry's story. New threads were added, new stitches developed, to depict widening Kappa Alpha Theta horizons and interests.

But—that first pattern—the fraternity's ideals—continues to guide all the weavers, because "no weaver worked for herself, but each worked for" the good of Kappa Alpha Theta.

The tapestry has grown so large that today an individual weaver generally can see only the part of the tapestry woven on one college campus, or by alumnæ in one city.

But, once in two years the weavers have an opportunity to put aside their shuttles and come together to witness how the work of all the weavers has merged into a harmonious tapestry. The latest showing of this beautiful tapestry will be at National convention in June 1950.

United Nations

Clipping from report of Mrs Rasmussen, Alpha Omicron Pi, and official representative of National Panhellenic Conference at United Nations meetings at its headquarters in New York and Lake Success.

"It was a pleasure to hear Mrs Mennen, a native of India, speak. . . . She gave us a foreign view point that was very interesting. I would like to share with you something that she left with us: that is, that "the mechanics of the United Nations may be worked out by the paid staff of workers, but it is the people with a human interest in voluntary organizations that can make the United Nations work."

How many of us are so helping make a success of this "great hope for peace?"

Come to Convention

JUNE 20-25, 1950

IN

HISTORIC NEW ENGLAND

There is always something to be long remembered at every Theta convention. It may be the knowledge of fine constructive plans for the future of the fraternity, the hilarity of picnics and song contests, the site and cuisine of the hotel, one special talk that stands out like one of our own stars, or the breath-taking beauty of the final banquet. There is something there for you. Come to our convention to play, to listen, to become a part of the gathering, to share in its accomplishments, to make new and loyal friends. It will be an experience to be treasured in your hearts forever.

HELEN FRENCH, *President*

Swampscott is one of the very old settlements in New England. The New Ocean house is right on the Atlantic ocean with a magnificent view, wonderful New England food, and plenty of room—all of which makes it a perfect spot for convention.

Sightseeing trips have been planned for visiting many nearby historical spots such as Gloucester, the largest fishing port in America, and Salem, a quaint historic town where the *House of seven gables* still stands as well as the *Witch house*, where those accused of witchcraft were tried and sentenced.

There will also be a tour of Boston where you may see such landmarks as the Common, Old South meeting house, Old North Church, Cambridge, and Harvard.

BOSTON COMMON, AMERICA'S OLDEST PUBLIC PARK (1634)



What You May Want to Know About Convention

What Will It Cost?

Your railroad fare, hotel for five days, registration fee of \$13.00, plus cost of sightseeing tours and small fees for athletic events (the last two paid *only* by those who choose to participate in them).

Hotel

All reservations and hotel bills will be handled by delegates and visitors directly with the hotel. The choice of your room will determine its cost to you. Delegates will be allotted \$10.00 per day for hotel bill. See announcement of hotel rates and reservation blank on page 237.

Transportation

Everyone buys her own railroad ticket. All Pullman tickets on the Special must be purchased from Miss Orpha Han. See railroad information on page 238.

What Clothes Will I Need?

It will not be necessary to buy a lot of elaborate clothes—your regular wardrobe will be fine, but here are a few definite suggestions.

1. Cottons, linens or any sportswear for daytime wear. Don't forget a sweater or two.
2. A dress or two suitable for dinner or tea (dressy cottons, silk prints, or the like).
3. A suit and a light top coat (for traveling, cool evenings, or the boat trip).
4. One formal for the banquet.
5. An outfit for the square dance (not only the type used today, but anything that has been worn for square dancing from Colonial days on will be appropriate). We hope to make this a square dance "through history."
6. Equipment and clothes for golf, tennis, riding, or swimming if you plan to participate in these sports.



FANEUIL HALL

Program

The convention program will be published in the first issue of the *Kite*, but here are a few highlights of events planned.

A Panhellenic dinner, with representatives of other Panhellenic fraternities, a luncheon under the auspices of the Loan and fellowship and the Philanthropy committees, a fun night with square dancing for which costumes are in order, and the formal banquet.



PAUL REVERE'S HOUSE

Chicago Stop

A room at the LaSalle Hotel has been reserved from 9:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. on June 19 as a meeting place for Thetas between early train arrivals in Chicago and the departure of the Special Train. Local Theta hostesses will be on hand to greet you.

Convention News

A subscription to the *Kite* will keep you abreast of convention doings and fun. The price for all five issues of Kappa Alpha Theta's convention newspaper is \$1.25, including postage. So, if you're not coming to convention send in a subscription to the *Kite*. Dead line for orders, June 10, 1950.

Send check and mailing address to: Kappa Alpha Theta Central Office, Suite 820, 20 North Wacker Dr. Chicago 6, Ill.

To Chapter archivists. If your official files maintain standards of completeness, send in a *chapter* subscription. Your delegate's copies will probably be a little dog-eared from perusal and traveling.

HOTEL RESERVATION BLANK

SPECIAL CONVENTION HOTEL RATES

American Plan . . . (meals included)

Fill in the blank below. Cut it off at rule line, and mail to New Ocean house, Swampscott, Massachusetts.

I will attend the 39th Grand convention of Kappa Alpha Theta and plan to arrive on
at (a.m.) (p.m.) and will leave on at (a.m.) (p.m.)
Check accommodations desired

	Daily per person	
	Including room and meals	
Double room with bath, twin beds	<input type="checkbox"/> \$10.00	<input type="checkbox"/> \$10.50
Double room with bath, twin beds, ocean front		<input type="checkbox"/> 11.00
Large room with bath, three beds	<input type="checkbox"/> 9.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 9.50
Large room with bath, four beds	<input type="checkbox"/> 8.75	<input type="checkbox"/> 9.00
Double room with running water, twin beds	<input type="checkbox"/> 9.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 9.50
Suite, two double rooms, bath between, four beds	<input type="checkbox"/> 9.50	<input type="checkbox"/> 10.00
Suite, two double rooms, bath between, six beds	<input type="checkbox"/> 8.75	<input type="checkbox"/> 9.00
Choice corner or bay window room with bath, twin beds		<input type="checkbox"/> 12.00
Single room with bath		<input type="checkbox"/> 13.00
Single room with bath, hotel cottages	<input type="checkbox"/> 11.00	<input type="checkbox"/> 12.00

Names of roommates desired (please print)

Your name (please print)

Address—Name

City Zone State

Chapter Class

Special Train Schedule

GOING

Lv. Chicago, Monday, June 19 (from LaSalle street station, LaSalle & Van Buren streets)		2:15 p.m. CST
Lv. Englewood, Monday, June 19 (from Englewood Union station, 63d & State streets)		2:29 p.m. CST
Lv. Gary, Ind. Monday, June 19 (from New York Central Station on Broadway)		2:45 p.m. CST
Lv. LaPorte, Ind. Monday, June 19	New York Central	3:15 p.m. CST
Lv. South Bend, Ind. Monday, June 19	New York Central	3:34 p.m. CST
Lv. Elkhart, Ind. Monday, June 19	New York Central	4:01 p.m. CST
Lv. Toledo, Ohio, Monday, June 19	New York Central	6:56 p.m. EST
Lv. Buffalo, New York, Monday, June 16	New York Central	11:46 p.m. EST
Ar. Boston, Mass. Tuesday, June 20 (South Station)	New York Central	10:00 a.m. EST

RETURNING

Lv. Boston, Sunday, June 25 (South Station)	New York Central	2:10 p.m. EST
Ar. Buffalo, Sunday, June 25	New York Central	11:59 p.m. EST
Ar. Toledo, Ohio, Monday, June 26	New York Central	4:44 a.m. EST
Ar. Elkhart, Ind. Monday, June 26	New York Central	5:44 a.m. CST
Ar. South Bend, Ind. Monday, June 26	New York Central	6:09 a.m. CST
Ar. LaPorte, Ind. Monday, June 26	New York Central	6:30 a.m. CST
Ar. Gary, Ind. Monday, June 26	New York Central	6:59 a.m. CST
Ar. Englewood Monday, June 26	New York Central	7:45 a.m. CST
Ar. Chicago, Monday, June 26 (LaSalle Street station)	New York Central	8:00 a.m. CST

Everyone from west, north, or southwest of Chicago will join the Special at Chicago. Consult your local New York Central representative or other ticket agent for schedules to and from Chicago. Most train schedules change with daylight saving time in the spring, therefore, be sure the information you secure is correct.

Thetas located on the Eastern Seaboard will prefer to use the Seaboard Airline or Atlantic Coast Line railroads through Washington and New York. Those located in Eastern Canada and New England will naturally use more direct service, such as the Canadian Pacific or Canadian National, Boston and Maine, or Maine Central Railroads. The New York, New Haven, and Hartford railroad operates frequent service between New York City, Connecticut, and Rhode Island points. Consult your local railroad agent for information about trains and rates. He is familiar with local conditions and better informed about possible connections and train-time changes than are we. However, Miss Han will be glad to help you in your planning.

If it is at all possible for you to travel on the Special Train, please do so. This train has been set up to accommodate you, and we hope you will take advantage of it. Mrs Margaret Cockrell, Assistant Convention manager, and Miss Jessica Baker of Central office, will accompany the train, as will Miss Orpha Han, Passenger representative, New York Central. Traveling via the Special brings many to convention at the same time—and besides, it is much more fun—just like starting the convention a day ahead of time.

Special chartered buses have been secured to transfer you between Boston and Swampscott, if you ride the Special train. If you arrive at South station the morning of June 20, independently, and wish transportation with the group in these chartered buses, let Miss Han of New York Central know your plans, and it will be arranged. The cost one way will be \$1.15, round trip \$1.73 with tax. Send this money to Miss Han when you send your check for Pullman tickets. If you do not ride the Special and wish only bus transportation send the money to Miss Han also.

If you travel to Boston in advance of the convention opening, you will use the Boston and Maine railroad, Boston to Swampscott. These trains leave from North station and operate frequently (hourly) as Swampscott is a suburb of Boston. If you travel in advance we suggest you buy your rail ticket through to Swampscott.

Special arrangements have been made for storing baggage June 19 at LaSalle Street station, Chicago. New York Central baggage tags will be mailed to all conventionites, and all baggage bearing such tag can be stored in the LaSalle street station baggage room, first floor of the station. If bags are not tagged, they cannot store them. Upon arrival at the station turn your luggage over to a Red Cap who will arrange this storage. Your bags will be brought to the special train where you will claim them. The cost will be a tip for the Red Cap upon arrival at the station, and again a tip when he places the baggage in your space on the train. Coats, packages, cameras, and other such articles cannot be stored. If you do not wish to leave your bags in the baggage room, you can put them in one of the lockers in the station, yourself arranging to get them on the special train.

To avoid confusion and mistakes, your Pullman tickets between Chicago (or en route points) and Boston will be mailed to you. Purchase your round trip first class railroad ticket to Boston from your local New York Central, or other, railroad agent. Have him secure your Pullman reservations *to* and home *from* Chicago (or from where you board the Special). Use the reservation form in this magazine for special train reservations between Chicago and Boston. Send check for Pullman when you send for reservations.

Address all inquiries and requests for reservations to Miss Orpha Han, Room 625, LaSalle street station, Chicago 5, Ill.

SPECIAL TRAIN AND BUS RESERVATION BLANK

Mail reservation blank by June 1 to:

Miss Orpha Han, Passenger Representative
New York Central Railroad
Room 625—LaSalle Street Station
Chicago 5, Illinois
(Telephone: Wabash 2-4200, Ext. 269)

Enclosed is my check for Pullman tickets on the Special and bus transportation to the Kappa Alpha Theta Convention.

- _____ Chicago to Boston, Monday, June 19.
- _____ Boston to Chicago, Sunday, June 25.
- _____ Upper Berth, round-trip \$15.06; one-way \$7.53, incl. tax.
- _____ Lower Berth, round-trip \$19.90; one-way \$9.95, incl. tax.
- _____ Roomette, round-trip \$27.84; one-way \$13.92, incl. tax.
- _____ Single Bedroom, round-trip \$37.84; one-way \$18.92, incl. tax.
- _____ Double Bedroom, round-trip \$43.32; one-way \$21.91, incl. tax (will accommodate 2 people).
- _____ Bedroom suite, round-trip \$75.68; one-way \$37.84, incl. tax (will accommodate 4 people).
- _____ Drawing Room, round-trip \$75.68; one-way \$37.84, incl. tax (will accommodate 3 or 4).

I will share my Pullman accommodations on the Special with

My name

Address

City State

_____ I want bus transportation between Boston and Swampscott.

_____ going June 20. _____ returning June 25.
One-way \$1.15. Round-trip \$1.73.

They Are Active at Idaho



Sheila Darwin

Cover girl, nutritionist, journalist, add up to Sheila Darwin, senior. The January 1950 issue of *What's new in Home economics*, national professional magazine, featured Sheila as cover girl. Spotlighting career possibilities for high school girls and college students interested in Home economics, the magazine headlined Sheila as outstanding senior.

Listing journalism as a hobby, Sheila worked up in campus writing circles to become associate editor of *Blot*, magazine, and news-editor of the *Idaho Argonaut*, newspaper. *Blot's* spring issue handed her bouquets in its *Applauds* column. Sheila, too is a Mortar Board member. Her modern dance interpretations, learned in Idaho Orchesis, dance, club have been unique additions to rushing parties for three years. Sheila is a member of Phi Upsilon Omicron, Theta Sigma, Home economics club, and of Orchesis.



Bette West

In Bette West's four years of college, she has been outstanding in both Theta and campus affairs. Attractive, efficient, and energetic, Bette may be seen rushing from one meeting to another or hurrying to the "U Hut" where are held the majority of her drama classes. She will receive her B.A. in June, 1950, with a major in drama and a minor in music.

As a freshman, Bette appeared in the University production *Sing, Singleton*, original musical comedy. Since, she has appeared in numerous ASUI productions, the most recent being Shakespeare's *Twelfth night*. In the spring of her first year, we were proud and thrilled to have her tapped for Spurs. She is the only fraternity woman elected to Associated Student's board. Bette is a member of Sigma Alpha Iota, of Curtain, drama society, of Mortar Board, and this year is vice-president and pledge trainer of Beta Theta chapter.

A Seventy-Fifth

"Gamma Rho chapter will be installed at the University of California at Santa Barbara, January 28-30, 1950."

By a combination of confusion and slip-ups or by mail loss in a burning airplane, the quotation above is all the factual news we have of the installation of Kappa Alpha Theta's seventy-fifth functioning college chapter. So, the story, and the pictures, of that happy occasion can not be broadcast by this magazine until the October issue.

In the interim, here are a few background facts. The University of California at Santa Barbara is the second offspring of the main University of California at Berkeley. The first off-spring, University of California at Los Angeles, has become a great university in its own right. Such a future is anticipated for the University of California at Santa Barbara.

Both these newer sections of the State of California's university were originally State Normal schools. The changed status in Los Angeles became effective in 1919; that at Santa Barbara began in 1944, final adjustment becoming effective when the first university freshman class became seniors, in 1949.

Former strictly educational fraternities and several women's local fraternities for years had chapters at Santa Barbara. The change in this college's status parallels the change in the educational fraternities, since most of their chapters were in institutions that had left the normal school class to become bona fide colleges. By the acceptance of this group of former specialized fraternities into National Panhellenic congress, in 1948, the consideration of Santa Barbara as an extension field for other national Panhellenic fraternities was barred until after January 1, 1949.

The oldest Santa Barbara local, Alpha Theta Chi, had long had friendly contacts with Thetas resident in Santa Barbara, so it was no surprise, when the college was opened to all National Panhellenic groups, that this group decided to petition for a Kappa Alpha Theta charter.

After the usual round of investigations and reports, and after consideration of the western extension field, Grand council and District VII college chapters endorsed the petition. College chapters throughout Canada and the United

States voted for a college chapter at the University of California at Santa Barbara. Installation plans were made and culminated in the installation of Gamma Rho chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta, January 30, 1950.

The story of that memorable week-end will appear (we trust) in the October 1950 issue of this magazine.

In the meantime, below is a "look in" on Gamma Rho, as recorded for this magazine in its *first* letter for the Kappa Alpha Theta magazine.

Congratulations to Gamma Rho on its first weeks as Theta's newest college chapter! Congratulations to Kappa Alpha Theta on having such an understanding new, seventy-fifth, active college chapter.

Santa Barbara (Gamma Rho)

News from a new chapter! After months of waiting for the great event, the new Thetas of Gamma Rho at Santa Barbara are just beginning to find out what a grand and glorious feeling it is to be Thetas. We have just completed our first rush season as Thetas and are proud as punch of our new pledges: Norma Anderson, Betty Braden, Diane Covey, Shirley Lathey, Nora McCabe, Marilyn Morgan, Carolyn Steiner, and Denise Weber, all outstanding girls. They will be presented at a Panhellenic presentation dance in March. Meanwhile they were given a chance to shine at a Big-little sister party, at Margaret Taylor's home, where Diane Covey won the contest for the most unique hat, worn, of course, by a pledge. The pledges were given instructions to come bedecked in the most fabulous type of headgear they could create. Loads of fun for all those attending!

Between semesters and before and after the week-end of installation, the girls scattered all over California, taking advantage of the all-too-short vacation. Some went home, others visited friends, and still others, being more adventurous, went skiing. Skiing has really captivated some of the girls and their enthusiasm is spreading. Doris Humphreys and Sally Shedd, two avid enthusiasts, spend their spare time adorning the slopes at Snow Valley and Mammoth Mountain. Marvel Blakeman and Barbara Bauhaus also have found time to do some skiing recently.

Jan Leask, chapter president, has been busy as president of Panhellenic council. Doris Humphreys has a job on her hands as Social chairman of the college. Beverly Purdum, who was co-chairman of Homecoming last Fall, is now working on the Roadrunner Revue, annual talent show. Sally Sipherd and Eleanor Conte just returned from Spur's regional convention

at UCLA, where they had a wonderful time at Beta Xi's chapter house.

It has been a thrill to hear from so many college and alumnae chapters and clubs. We are so glad to be part of the Theta family!

ELENITA QUINTERA

28 February 1950

American Institute, University of Munich

We have been asked by Miss Eve Lewis, Director of the Institute's Public relations, to call its work, its needs, to the attention of members of Kappa Alpha Theta, because as Miss Lewis writes—

"My experience with the members of your fraternity on the university campuses where I have taught political science has led me to believe that your members might like to decide upon active support of the work of the American institute as one of its annual projects. I have noticed an increasing interest in international relations among American students, the leading ones as exemplified by the members of your fraternity. So many American students seem eager to make a personal contribution to international education." Then she extends to members of Kappa Alpha Theta who may be travelling abroad an invitation to visit the Institute.

The American institute—what it is

A center for the study of American civilization. It is a regular part of the University of Munich, although administratively it is semi-autonomous. It is the first institution of higher learning specializing in American studies on the continent of Europe. In a world of conflicting ideologies it tries to explore the American way of life objectively and to assess the impact of American ideas on Europe. It is a school for thought, study and inquiry into the spirit of America. It is a meeting place of minds where American and European scholars reinterpret their common heritage.

—what it does

It provides instruction and facilities for research in the fields of American history, litera-

ture, government, economics and the fine arts. American professors from accredited institutions as well as European scholars participate in the Institute's work. During its first year the American Institute will have on its faculty three renowned Americans; Howard Mumford Jones in literature, Merle Curti in history and Quincy Wright in political science. The Institute's education policy: concentration, integration, participation. Concentration means that the work at the Institute will be centered on America; integration that the various aspects of American civilization will be presented in a combined program; participation that the student will be invited to take active part in the Institute's work.

—what it needs

Of course the main need is for MONEY, classified under three heads: (1) Funds for salaries; (2) Funds and books for the library; (3) Funds for a limited number of scholarships. It is in (3) that Kappa Alpha Theta members might be interested directly. So, we quote the purpose of these scholarships: (A) To enable students from European universities to study at the Institute. \$5,000 will pay for 25 scholarships. (B) To enable European graduate students of outstanding ability to carry on research at American universities. Five such annual scholarships would cost \$7,500, or \$1,500 per scholarship.

For anyone desiring more information about this project—the address is: The American Institute, Munich, Ludwigstrasse 18, Germany.

Queen Competitions

As one chapter views them. And this is not a "sour grapes" viewpoint, as the chapter that unsolicited sent in the story, "rates" many campus queens each year.

Campus queen races are one of the most persistent evils of the modern college scene. They are a constant menace to the peace of mind of half the women students in almost every college where they are permitted.

When this situation is considered in its true light, it is evident that no lasting benefits can result from such contests. When originated they may have been a novel and pleasing idea, but they are now so numerous as to have fallen to the status of a burden for all concerned.

Like most campus elections, queen races in many instances degenerate into little more than a political brawl. Only in rare instances is a contest conducted in such a way that politics is not a major factor. This is true of popular elections, while "money races" depend not on the qualifications of the candidate, but upon the shekels her supporters manage to beg, borrow, or steal.

From the standpoint of the winner, a queen race may be a thrill and an honor. But, if she looks at the situation squarely she cannot find much satisfaction in having won through off-color political maneuvers. If she ignores the means to the end, she may deceive herself into feeling that she won the queenship through actual merit!

Again, from the attitude of the loser, queen races are "sour grapes." She "really didn't want to enter," and she "never had a chance to win the silly title anyhow." "It's been a big effort, many hours of lost sleep, a mental strain—and all for no good end."

And then there are the girl's supporters. Win or lose, they have little to show for many precious hours that might well have been spent at the study table. It's a thankless task, for which there must be found a way out.

The traits on which a girl is chosen as a candidate for a queen race are not those of which she should be most proud. Beauty and personality are the *set* prerequisites. As those work out, beauty becomes the skin-deep variety that attracts passing attention, while personality is the ability to impress the voter at the first

introduction. Really desirable qualities of character, breeding, loyalty, friendliness—these are of little importance. They may be present in the winner, but she has *not won because she possesses them.*

As long as there are queen races, it will be considered an honor to win one, and any fraternity chapter that refused to cooperate would be accused of "lacking college spirit," and would gain the enmity of interested students, and, sometimes, of faculty members too. So long as a race arouses such great interest, even if it be compulsory interest, it will be considered a good way to promote a project, no matter how far-fetched the connection may seem.

So, what's to be done?

Whatever it is, it cannot be done by any one group alone with any degree of success. It must come from the college women as a unit, and it must come as an organized whole. Any single faction adopting such a resolution would only succeed in bringing upon itself storms of wrath.

Queen races have been carried far beyond any beneficial point. Since any plan to keep them within bounds scarcely could be practical, the solution seems to lie in outlawing them completely.

* * *

When the above contribution reached the editor, across her desk was a line of charming pictures—girls who had been queens of this or that, at this or that college, during the current year. The editor faced two quandaries. What should be done with this array of pictures? Were the magazine's constituents really interested in a picture of a girl who attained this dubious educational honor, even if she belonged to their own chapter?

In face of today's campus misunderstanding of what a fraternity is—an association of intimate friends—and the broadcast idea that the chief ambition of fraternity girls and boys is to shine in the frills and foibles possible to campus activities, should the fraternity's magazine feature this type of college life frill? Experience had been that the appearance in print of such pictures and stories, merely gave another opportunity for stress on fantastic, but damaging

ideas as to fraternity standards and purposes. But, if our magazines soft pedal aspects of social life which are popular (?) with youth, in order to erase one point from the critic's ammunition, are we losing our own perspective? Is it "cricket" to ignore a campus phenomenon that

consumes so much time and effort by students? Men can not live without either books or bread, to which the medical profession adds, nor "without rest and fun." These beauty and queen contests certainly are not conducive to rest. For whom are they fun?

Unesco Achievements, 1949

Cultural Activities

Formation of the International Council for Philosophy and Humanistic Studies;

Completion of the enquiry into the meanings of the concept of democracy;

Publication of a series of essays on Human Rights, a portfolio of reproductions of the frescoes of Masaccio, and a series of tributes to commemorate the second centenary of the birth of Goethe;

Appointment of a Preparatory commission for the creation of an International Music Council and the compilation of a catalogue of colour reproductions of paintings from 1860 onwards;

Preparation of an exhibition of colour reproductions, a dozen series of which are being sent to Member States;

Planning of an International Association of Art Historians;

Assistance to the ex-German libraries in Italy;

Promotion of national book exchange and distribution centres in Canada, Great Britain and the United States, as well as in Germany and Japan;

Operation of the Book coupon system in Czechoslovakia, France, Hungary, India, Switzerland and the United States;

Completion of the comparative and critical study of copyright problems and the agreement reached by a committee of experts on the subject.

Exchange of Persons

Publication of Volume I of an *International handbook of fellowships, scholarships and educational exchanges*, with a view to promoting studies abroad;

Awarding of fifty-two fellowships to the nationals of seventeen countries to enable them to study in seven Member States.

Mass Communications

Survey of the technical needs of the press, radio and film, which has this year covered fourteen countries and territories in Latin America, North Africa and the Middle East;

Participation in the work of the Food and Agriculture organization as regards newsprint and paper for other publications;

Preparation of four pamphlets on various matters connected with the educational use of radio and the film and the professional training of press and radio journalists, and, in consultation with the Food and Agriculture organization and with the assistance of the Natural Sciences department, of a series of seventeen pamphlets on the subject *Food and People*;

Preparation of a draft agreement to facilitate the international circulation of printed matter and more generally all materials of an educational, scientific or cultural character;

Issue of a weekly radio bulletin.

Reconstruction

Preparation of an urgent relief programme which, to be carried out, only requires final replies from the receiving States to UNESCO's requests for information on their prior needs;

Cooperation with the international associations entrusted with the United Nations programme of assistance regarding the educational needs of refugees in the Middle East;

Provision of urgent relief for Greek refugee children;

Drafting of a handbook on the organization of the International Voluntary work camps.

Education

Advisory missions to the Philippines and Siam, the former covering primary, secondary and adult education, and the latter fundamental education;

Preparation, with the Brazilian Government and the Organization of American States, of an international seminar on illiteracy held in July at Quitandinha, Brazil;

The Adult Education Conference at Elsinore, Denmark;

Preparation of two reports on war-handicapped children and the educational experiment of children's communities; and the final preparation, for use of Member States, of a model procedure for the revision of school textbooks with a view to promoting international understanding;

Publication, in cooperation with the International Bureau of education, of the *International yearbook of education for 1948*, and the publication of a *Quarterly bulletin of fundamental education*;

The Twelfth International Conference on Public education (convoked at Geneva jointly with the International Bureau of education) which dealt mainly with the teaching of reading, the introduction to natural science in primary schools, and the teaching of geography from the standpoint of international understanding.

Natural Sciences

Establishment at Brussels, under the auspices of the World health organization, and UNESCO, of the Council for the Coordination of International congresses of Medical Sciences;

Conference held at UNESCO house on science abstracts and the work of the Interim Coordinating committee on Medical and biological abstracting;

Meeting of directors of scientific clubs in nine countries for the purpose of promoting the popularization of science.

Social Sciences

Planning of international associations of economists, political science experts, sociologists and experts in comparative law;

Completion of a series of works on present methods and activities in political science.

UNESCO Courier

Addendum

When some story in the magazine displeases readers the editor's mail brings a deluge of complaints. But—there is occasionally a letter with a different tone. The one we quote here, also adds some interesting footnotes to two articles in the December issue—the two that begin on pages 108, and 123 respectively. The writer is an alumna of Beta Omicron chapter at the University of Iowa, Marsena L. Nelson.

"My own college days were at the University of Iowa, where I was pledged to Theta in the fall of 1943. The article about Mrs Anderson rings a bell, as I am one of her girls who has come and gone, I want to corroborate Mrs Powell's words about Mrs Anderson. Maybe I was better acquainted with her than were some of the girls, since I was the chapter treasurer and used to sit in her room at a card table by the hour, writing checks for all those cases of canned goods and barrels of soap chips, and trying to make the monthly report balance. The picture in the magazine I recognize as Mrs Anderson's room, though I do not know the girls in it, Mommy A and the scenery are certainly familiar.

Another interesting thing in the issue was the picture of the Thetas in the Scottish Highlanders. That was the most fascinating activity on campus for myself. I have the distinction of being the first Theta to belong to the Highlanders, though two Thetas had danced with the Highlanders before the war, when the group was all boys. When, due to the lack of men, the organization was taken over by the coeds in the fall of 1943, sixty of us who had never held a bagpipe did our best to carry on a campus tradition. For girls to comprise a Scottish band was hard for some people to accept at first. But, under the able direction of Pipe Major Adamson we worked like troopers and soon became a novelty that has continued—nobody wants the boys to take over again . . . My last experience with the Highlanders was to the Lions International convention in San Francisco in the summer of 1947, and then for exhibitions throughout the Pacific Northwest."

"While any progress at all is being made, great progress is not impossible."

G. W. JOHNSON

Magazine Sales Reach New High

Thanks to all who subscribed for magazines through the Kappa Alpha Theta Magazine Agency last year. Orchids to the many valiant chairmen who labored so diligently to make it a successful year. The Agency, the goal of which is financial aid to the Institute of Logopedics, could not survive without the loyal and experienced chairmen who annually turn in splendid sales records. We also wish to recognize with gratitude a number of new chairmen who did exceptional work this past year. They are Mrs M. C. Beekman of Detroit whose chapter heads the list again this year; Frances Fassett of Washington D.C.; Mrs John Crawford of Philadelphia; Mrs John S. S. Peirson of Pittsburgh; Mrs Chas Dexter of Cincinnati; Mrs Raymond D. Cole of Seattle; Mrs Jack Titus of Dallas; Mrs LeRoy Stanton of Los Angeles; Rosemary Crawford of New York and Mrs Louis Hoppe of St Louis. Thanks also to Toronto and Honolulu alumnae chap-

ters for their loyal aid. The enthusiasm of the Honolulu group is heart warming.

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\$5241.72 earned by the fifteen top chairmen! Many more dollars earned, also, by other zealous chairmen!

Graduate Assistantships

Ohio Wesleyan university announces six graduate assistantships for women in Counseling and guidance. The course will require full 12 months study and experience in counseling to win an M.A. degree. Any one interested in investigating, or applying for, one of these assistantships can secure full information from Miss Audrey M. Parker, Dean of women, Ohio Wesleyan university, Delaware, Ohio. Dead line for applications is May 15.

Syracuse university is offering for the academic year 1950-51 fifteen to twenty graduate assistantships for women who wish to train in student personnel work. Such assistantships are equivalent to a grant of \$700 to \$900 a year awarded in terms of room, board, and tuition. For information write to Dr M. Eunice Hilton, Dean of the College of home economics, Syracuse university, Syracuse 10, N.Y.

The chapter of life is too short. "If only one had more time," yet how we waste the time we have. The days slip by, and always we dream that the next turn in the road will bring the beautiful landscape of the country where dreams come true. Thus, with most of us life is an expectation rather than an achievement. Always the realization seems just beyond. Today is poor: but tomorrow. . . . So we postpone our efforts and the opportunity of the day is lost. To live and work each moment—that is a rarely understood and still more rarely applied secret. . . .

If you will be of value to your fraternity this year then you must make yourself see the entire world as a vast market where the highest grade commodity—the most devoted service—can be made to bring the highest price. You must cease profitless introspection, not looking selfishly within but leading out with the best which is yours to give.

Φ B—Baton, Nov. 48

Press Views of Thetas

Handkerchiefs Start a Career

Who would think that making a beautiful handkerchief would determine the future business career of a young girl just out of high school? Yet that is exactly what happened to Mrs Lucy Murchie, proprietor of the Murchie Gift Shop. The story of the development of her business is as strange and thrilling as that of any Hollywood movie star. Only it progressed along a path of fluttering linen handkerchiefs, instead of through any milky way to stardom.

Inspired by a mother who was skilled in fine needle-work, crochet and embroidery, young Lucy Davisson, red-headed and piquant, and just ready for college, began to develop skill in making beautiful handkerchiefs. At first she made the bits of gossamer for her own pleasure, as a method of self expression through needle-craft. She delighted friends to whom she gave handkerchiefs as personal gifts. Some of them asked her to sell them and she made some individual sales.

It was the custom of the family to spend some time each summer at the Edgewater Beach hotel in Chicago, and Lucy Davisson often visited the gift shop in the hotel poring over the lovely things offered there for sale. Eventually Lucy decided that she had something worthy to submit to the shop's buyer. She was delighted to receive an order. Presently Marshall Field and Charles Stevens and company were buying her handkerchiefs also.

Summer vacations paid off well for Lucy. While her parents relaxed she made contacts. One of their vacation spots was Lake Winamac, and here Mrs. Murchie met a buyer for Lord and Taylor's in New York. Through him she received her first Lord and Taylor order for 25 dozen handkerchiefs.

Selling handkerchiefs to such established firms brought an opportunity to see many interesting shops that dealt in unusual merchandise of beauty and style and originality, many of them imports from foreign marts. Not only did the merchandise fascinate Mrs. Murchie, even more did the psychology of selling, and the techniques of a business which brought the beautiful objects to customers through the

great stores interest her. Especially was she challenged by the skill and discernment of the buyers, who must sense intuitively what the buying public will accept with favor.

Another milestone in her career came with an opportunity for Mrs Murchie to make a trip to Europe with a party of friends. To Mrs Murchie Europe meant Paris, and Paris meant shops, and shops meant the great wholesale companies. If only she could see these! Again she had a friend in court—the same friend who got her the Lord and Taylor contract. He was now in Paris as foreign representative of the firm of Sachs.

Through this friend Mrs Murchie not only saw the wholesale firms, but she was able also to meet the Paris buyer for Sachs. "We have heard of your handkerchiefs" she was told, "why haven't you brought some to show us?" Alas, the only ones Lucy had on the tour were her own personal handkerchiefs, and a few she had given the friends who were with her. She went back to the hotel, gathered up all she could find and laundered them, taking them to the buyer the next day. She received an order, the largest she had ever had, to be delivered to the New York firm of Sachs in the fall.

Lucy Murchie's handkerchief business continued until she had sold 18,000 handkerchiefs of fine cut-and-drawn work, and then she chanced to visit the Gift Mart in Chicago. "I was thrilled by everything I saw," she recalls. "I wrote my parents that I was coming home to start a gift shop of my own." Thus did the Murchie Gift Shop begin. It was set up in two rooms downstairs in the family residence, East Third Street, Bloomington, Indiana. For two months it stayed there, until Mrs Murchie's mother wanted to entertain. Then it had to be moved up-stairs, and there it has been ever since.

In the 22 years that Mrs Murchie has been in business the shop has grown until it now occupies a suite of three large rooms and an office and overflows into the hall. The newest room is the Lamp Room where are found unusual lamps of great beauty and originality. It is beautifully decorated and affords a strik-

ingly effective background for display. The personal room carries a line of fine hand bags, vanity cases, costume jewelry, perfumes and toilet waters, quilted satin lingerie sets, and many other articles to delight milady. The front room is given over to a large display of silver, crystal, china and pottery, and one finds many imports there.

And so it is that a business that began as pin-money for a young college girl now represents the very large investment of a successful business woman in an established business. Meantime Mrs. Murchie has reared and educated her own son, and today, at the end of her beautiful beamed drawing room, elegantly furnished with many treasured objects there are two simple pieces of furniture, a child's playpen filled with toys, and a little red-upholstered child's rocker. These belong to her young grandchild. There are now four generations living in the Gift Shop home, and Mrs Murchie can watch a new generation coming along while she tends her shop.

She goes regularly to the marts and gift shows, buying from firms in New York and Chicago. She says they offer a great challenge to her, and she loves seeing the beautiful imports, as well as the objects of American skill, but it is the selling which she enjoys most.

Bloomington, Ind. Herald Feb '50

Lucy Davisson Murchie has served long as an able, beloved member of Beta chapter's Advisory board. In sending this story, Mary Rieman Maurer said she and Lucy had been friends since college days at Indiana university and were together on the European trip in the story when Mrs Murchie made her first contract with buyers in France.

The Work of a Service League Psychiatrist—

Dr Marion Stranahan, alumna of Chi Chapter at Syracuse university

In an interview following issuance of the annual report of the Girls Service League of America, Dr Marion Stranahan, staff psychiatrist for the league, said:

"We've been told by court workers that the courts alone could use about sixty leagues like ours."

Disturbed adolescent girls present many special problems to the agency that tries to help them, Dr Stranahan said. Thus a small private

group like the league can work with only a few dozen girls at a time, she added.

However, there are hundreds who need months of patient assistance if they are to be saved from eventually being sent to prisons or mental hospitals, she declared.

"They come from orphanages," she explained, "from foster homes, from all sorts of broken home situations."

Often they are backward emotionally and have never learned how to get along with people, she said, but because of their city environment they may look older than they really are.

"What we try to do," Dr Stranahan said, "is to start where the girl is emotionally and have the social worker and the staff at the house represent a brand new family, a brand new chance."

Establishing a feeling of trust between the girl and her new "family" is often extremely difficult, though, Dr Stranahan noted, but once it is established, she said, the girl may be helped to develop normally.

At the league, some girls stay only two months before they feel they can resume life with their families or in a club; and others stay as long as two years.

In addition to its intensive work with the forty residents of its houses, the league also provides a guidance service for several hundred other girls every year.

But since the number who can be given the long-term aid they need is so small, many of them develop progressively more serious problems until eventually drastic action must be taken.

"They get to correctional institutional institutions of state hospitals because of the lack of facilities to help them sooner," Dr. Stranahan said.

NY Times—9 My 49

Her Interests Are Many and Varied

Although she has lived in St. Louis only a little more than four years, Mrs Walter Baumgarten Jr has become associated with many and varied civic enterprises.

"I suppose it was inevitable that I should take part in such activities," says the former Miss Julia Hardin, granddaughter of the late Adlai Ewing Stevenson, vice-president of the United States in President Cleveland's admin-

istration. "You see, my father was a Presbyterian minister and I was brought up in an atmosphere where it was taken for granted that you have a responsibility toward the people around you, and that you use whatever time or talents you may have toward fulfilling that responsibility."

Mrs Baumgarten, a graduate of . . . Cornell University, has done just that. Her college training in dramatics and music has been put to work to aid others through the St. Louis Grand Opera Guild. The function of this organization is to run a workshop which gives young St. Louis singers a chance they would not have otherwise to receive a six-month period of opera training and to participate in the production of an opera. Any one may apply for audition and about 70 of the applicants are selected for the opera workshop.

Mrs Baumgarten has sung the roles of Lucretia in *The Rape of Lucretia*, and of the old maid in *The Old Maid and the Thief*. She is a vice-president of the Guild, in charge of the workshop, and is on the board this year. A number of those who have received training through this organization have gone on to New York or to Europe for further study, and Mrs Baumgarten feels that the Guild serves as "a definite stepping stone in their careers of training."

She is on the board of the Little Symphony and will be co-chairman of the ticket drive this year; and is a former member of the choir of Second Presbyterian church, where she has been active in Women's Association work.

Mrs Baumgarten, who lives at 6335 Westminster place and whose husband is a physician, is also vitally interested in the Visiting Nurse association and is on the nursing committee.

Another of her activities is the Planned Parenthood association. She is in charge of publicity for the St. Louis office, has been a member of the board, has worked in the clinic in the capacity of nurse's aid, and will serve as captain of a team in the drive for funds which is being held this month. She is a member of the board of Community School and last year served as education chairman for the Junior League.

A more recent post is that of a discussion leader for the St. Louis Council for Parent Education. She is one of a group of volunteers

who have taken a workshop course in directing discussions among parents following the showing of carefully selected child guidance films. The program promotes the exchange of ideas among normal parents of normal children concerning every-day behavior problems.

As the mother of four children ranging from 12 years to four months of age, Mrs Baumgarten has ample opportunity to put such knowledge into practice. "While there can be no question that your family is the most important job you have," she explains, "I feel strongly that even the busiest mother needs outside interests to refresh her and make her a more alive person. Mothers of young children will find life much more rounded and interesting if they can possibly manage to get out and do something worth while."

Her own family has a definite place even in her outside interests. Her 12-year-old son frequently accompanies her to meetings, and his younger sister counts it a particular treat to be taken to the Opera Guild rehearsals. Dr Baumgarten is "more than enthusiastic" about her activities and takes part in civic matters as far as his time will allow. He is currently serving as chairman of the lay education committee of the Heart association.

St. Louis Post Dispatch, 12 F 50

Mrs Baumgarten is an alumna of Kappa Alpha Theta's Iota chapter.

She Said She'd Get a Job—and So She Did!

When Nancy Ann Knettle left October 11 for a trip to Europe, her mother Mrs Melcena LaFollette Knettle, asked Nancy how she was going to get along in Europe on the amount of money she had saved for the project.

"Oh, I'll get a job," said Nancy, airily.

Yesterday, Mrs Knettle received an exciting letter from her daughter. Nancy Ann has a job in the American embassy in Paris!

Miss Knettle and a classmate, Miss Brenda Bowman (both are graduates of Bryn Mawr), took the trip together. Miss Bowman is studying at the Sorbonne.

A member of a pioneer Washington family, Miss Knettle, after graduation from college, taught kindergarten at Helen Bush school and worked in the personnel department of Providence hospital. She speaks French

fluently and some German and Spanish, has done some writing and plays the piano. She is a member of the Junior Club and during two years at Washington State College, affiliated with Kappa Alpha Theta.

Seattle Times, 25 Jan 50

Both Nancy Ann and her Mother, Melcena La-Follette, are alumnae of Alpha Sigma Chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta.

Scholarship award

News just received

Bloomington, Ind., March 11.—When Ruth Herdrich of Lebanon was a student in Indiana university she earned part of her way as a clerk in the President's and Registrar's offices, at 15 cents an hour.

Today, thirty five years later, Mrs Ruth Herdrich Hardy, owner-manager of the exclusive Ingleside Inn at Palm Springs, California, established an annual award of \$350 to aid some other girl working her way through college.

The award will be made each year at the Alumnae Breakfast in connection with Commencement activities, and will go to the junior or senior girl most worthy as to need, student activities, and scholarship.

Mrs Hardy was graduated from the University in 1915. She was one of the best known students on campus during her college years. She was a member of Strut and Fret, and appeared in college dramatic performances. A member of Kappa Alpha Theta, she was a member of Panhellenic council. She played on the senior girl's basketball team and was a member of *Arbutus* staff. Her major subject was English and she was a member of the Philosophy club.

R. L. Shoemaker, dean of students at the University, termed the newly established award one of the most choice available to Indiana University women.

Thanks to Mr Lawrence Wheeler, for this early press release of fine news of the understanding award made by Mrs Hardy! Kappa Alpha Theta honors Ruth Herdrich Hardy!!

Foreign service officer

Under the above title this magazine's issue of April 1948, had a brief story about Emily Gilfillan Dean (Mrs George Hamilton) Eta,

who had returned to America from three years' service as Director of the United States Information library in Johannesburg, Union of South Africa.

Now we are informed that Mrs Dean has again gone abroad in this same service. Her present appointment is as Director of the United States Information library in Ankara, Turkey. Report says—"she is enjoying this work immensely, having recently been given diplomatic status, rarely accorded to librarians."

Since the first announcement of Mrs Dean's work, was followed by this query from several readers—"What is the United States information library"? we add here some details as to the type of work in which Mrs Dean is engaged.

This service, which functioned first under the Office of War information and later under the State department, was designated to give a full and fair picture of the United States and its way of life to citizens of other countries. But it was also designed to keep the latter in touch with our latest technical, business, scientific and cultural developments at a time when unsettled conditions precluded the general circulation of our publications.

An information library keeps on file magazines covering every phase of American life, all important government publications, trade catalogues, telephone books of our seventeen largest cities, and catalogues of accredited higher educational institutions in this country. These are consulted by many persons a month, including business men who want the addresses of firms from which to order merchandise, those who want to learn about our latest developments, newspaper and magazine publishers in search of accurate information and photographs, radio broadcasters, prospective tourists to America, housewives, especially those interested in interior decorating and gardening and students anxious to matriculate in American colleges.

Numerous exhibits of photographs and educational films are loaned by the library to present America and her people as they really are and not as the movies had led people to believe they are. The entire service is a splendid good will builder, but more than that, it is a means of securing substantial orders for American manufacturers as well as for publishers of books and magazines.

Tudor City View

Blood Center Is Joyful, Sad

Atlantans won't "turn down" a child in need of blood.

In her work as Recruitment director of the Atlanta Red Cross Blood center, Miss Mildred Hegenberger has found people always willing



MILDRED HEGENBERGER visits with a "blood bank" little girl.

to give blood for particular patients.

"But when it's a child who must have the blood," she smiles, "we get dozens of donors!"

Whether it's a curly-haired victim of leukemia, a romper-age toddler with body burns or a solemn-eyed youngster about to undergo surgery, the child in need touches the heart strings of adults and prompts them to rush to the Blood Center.

It's the less spectacular and less publicized (though just as needy) cases, however, which keep Miss Hegenberger busy.

Her job entails securing "a maximum number of blood donors"—with at least 50 a day set as the goal.

Accident victims, surgery patients, routine cases where blood transfusions are necessary—these are dependent on the effectiveness of Miss Hegenberger's work. The blood donors

she recruits may mean the difference between life and death of the patients.

"If people were aware of the needs," she says, "we wouldn't have any trouble getting enough blood for all Atlanta hospitals."

When a call for a particular type blood comes to the Blood Center, Miss Hegenberger checks to see if that type is on hand—and if not, to procure it. She has a file of all previous donors and their blood types, and she calls them until enough blood to meet the demand is promised. A 24-hour service for blood distribution is maintained.

Calling donors is a "terrific job," she explained, adding, "Ten volunteers to man the phones could be used to good advantage."

Volunteers also are needed, she said, to help visit hospitalized patients getting blood as well as their families.

"We like to keep up with the progress of the patients," she pointed out, "and to find if there's anything more we can do to make things easier for them."

Miss Hegenberger works in cooperation with Marine Col. Donald Spicer, who directs recruitment of blood donors for the bloodmobile unit. She visits large companies and organizations, describes the operation and needs of the Blood Center, shows a 12-minute film on the blood program and answers all questions about the Blood Center.

Some companies and organizations, she said, have volunteer recruitment chairmen. She hopes "many more" will have such chairmen. A

new volunteer Recruitment committee recently was organized at the Center.

Miss Hegenberger arranges for transportation of small groups of donors to the Blood Center. And she arranges for the bloodmobile to visit companies where there are large groups.

"For the first time in my life," Miss Hegenberger said seriously, "I feel I'm doing something for people who really need it!"

Atlanta Constitution, 8 Je 1950

Mildred Hegenberger and her twin sister, Mrs Harold Sharp (who also lives in Atlanta) are alumnae of Kappa Alpha Theta, chapter Rho, University of Nebraska. Mildred lives at 1206 Peachtree st. N.E. and Mrs Sharp at 1327 Peachtree st. N.E.

Financially Speaking

So frequently are charges of "great expense," "extravagance in social life," hurled at fraternities that it is gratifying and intellectually encouraging to see a report from one campus, which made a financial survey of both men's and women's fraternities on its campus, so as to present facts rather than charges. Such facts, proved the best refutation of the unfairness. We quote from this report of a survey made last winter at the University of Alabama, as printed in the IRAC Bulletin of March 8, 1950.

"When the social account is reduced by the total of the personal charges, the net amount spent by the chapters on social activity is only 3 per cent of its operating income. National fees and dues (including cost of pin, a personal item) are only 4.7 percent of income. The importance of these two items is that in excess of 90 percent of the entire income of the organizations is spent to provide food and housing to the members.

"If the organizations did not furnish food

and housing to approximately 2600 students, most of them would be housed in University dormitories and fed in University dining halls. By their existence they broaden the field of operation of the University, making it possible to educate a larger number.

"I hope that we have presented our figures in such a way as to show that our fraternities and sororities mean a great deal to the economic life of our community. I hope that the figures prove that fraternities and sororities are more than organizations which provide luxuries for children of wealthy families; that on the contrary, it is economically practical for any student to belong."

It is interesting to note that in this instance, at least, good finances and good scholarship go hand in hand. We are advised by James E. Foy, assistant to the Dean of students, that in the last twenty years the all-fraternity average at the University of Alabama has averaged slightly above that of all men students.

"We don't need a 'century of the common man;' we have it already. What we need, and what a humanistic, non-utilitarian education will foster, is a century of the individual man. Democracy, though slowly attained and never by revolutionary jumps, is the best government on earth when it tries to make ALL its citizens aristocrats. But not when it guillotines whoever is individual, superior, or just different."

Peter Vierbeck

All-American Conference

New York City, January 28-29, 1950, Hotel Astor

National Panhellenic was represented at this conference by its chairman, Mrs Crabtree, and its extension chairman, Mrs Rasumssen. Sixty-six national organizations, representing a membership of over fifty million took part in the conference. Organizations participating included all major phases of American life: patriotic, religious, labor, business, civil service, professional, educational, veterans, feminine, and social science groups.

Extracts from some of the speeches that opened discussion groups:

"As an American I would rather *die* than live under Communism"—Lt Gen W. Bedell Smith.

Plans of Communists—"To fragmentize the American people, to break us into segments, each hating the other; to array class against class; interest against interest; to use front organizations; to confuse words and their meanings; to encourage smear campaigns; to infiltrate and gain control of organizations; to capture American youth. . . . Procedures against Communists must observe the due process of law. . . . Believing a person should be treated fairly does not necessarily include considering him as a personal friend. . . . Every organization in America has the right to determine its own membership, that right is a principle of a free society."—George Sokolosky, columnist and foreign correspondent.

The problem as education sees it was presented by Dr Francis L. Bacon, of the University of California at Los Angeles. He called our attention to certain proved facts: "Communism is busily infiltrating into every level of our educational system with concentration of effort on large University campuses." Fraternity and Panhellenic leaders should think how they are challenged by Dr Bacon's statement, since we already have the ear of so many students on these same campuses.

The religious aspects of the problem were ably presented by Msgr Fulton J. Sheen, speaking on *Communism and the conscience of the West*; and by Rev Daniel A. Poling, editor of *Christian Herald*, speaking on *What price free-*

dom, who reminded us that the price of freedom always will be costly, and that each generation will have to share in earning and paying for freedom.

There followed an Interfaith religious service.

Points emphasised over and over during the three days included—1. Communism is not merely a political party, or an economic and political philosophy, nor is it not merely non-religious, it is anti-religious. It is a godless conspiracy against all freedoms for which men have fought. 2. America is the last stronghold of democracy. 3. Survival of democracy depends upon the *united* effort of all loyal Americans.

To quote from some of the Resolutions adopted at the closing session: "We assembled as free Americans. We have the right to assert, to hold our own and perchance differing views and opinions on problems involving economic, educational, political, religious, and social issues. But here in this meeting we find ourselves in complete accord and agreement that:

1. World Communism is the greatest present threat to domestic security and peace on earth; and its Number 1 targets are God and the American way of life in the United States, the last great stronghold of undiluted human freedom.

2. The steady infiltration of Communism into our schools and colleges, into our press, radio, and screen, into our labor and business, and into our government itself, has reached a stage where it constitutes an immediate, serious, growing menace to the existence of the America we know and love.

3. "Communism as practiced in the United States . . . is a deliberate revolutionary conspiracy, inspired, directed, and financed by an alien power. It seeks to accomplish the overthrow of our constitutional form of government through force and violence. It seeks to achieve its unholy end through deceit and lies, to divide us through vicious propaganda, to set class against class, race against race, creed against creed. It denies the existence of God, seeks to extirpate all forms of religion, and aims to set

up the Police State as the supreme authority."

A resolution then was passed to authorize the set-up of a committee representative of a cross-section of the organizations in attendance at the conference. This committee shall "Formulate plans to stimulate and coordinate the efforts of the organizations here represented, and of other organizations of like mind, it shall encourage and enlist active public interest in combatting the infiltration, influence, and activities of the Communists and all other subversive elements; and it shall act as a clearing house and information center through which our various organizations may be informed and advised of the activities and experiences of other organizations, all upon the understanding that such committee shall recognize the full independence

of the various organizations and shall not attempt to control or supervise them."

This first conference had been called by the American Legion, which the meeting authorized "to call a second meeting within 90 days, to establish a permanent pro-American anti-Communist, unified and cohesive organization." Proposals coming out of the second meeting will be taken back by representatives to their several organizations for discussion and vote before any commitments are made.

"All that was said at this conference, all that happened, is of concern to us who have accepted leadership and responsibility in NPC. The time has come for us to stand up and be counted."

NPC—News letter

Apple Blossom Princess

Martha Jean Rush Crawford has been chosen to represent the University of Maryland as a princess in the Queen's Court at the twenty-third annual Shenandoah Apple Blossom festival, Winchester, Virginia, April 27-28.

A charter member of Gamma Mu chapter, Martha Jean is well-known on the eastern coast for her folk dancing. She has made several television appearances. She has mastered the sword dance, highland fling, sailor's hornpipe, Irish jig, and Spanish dances. She dances with the York Bagpipe band and the Chrysler Bagpipe band.

In chapter and campus activities, Martha Jean has been active. She is on the Board of trustees and building committee of Gamma Mu and has served as its editor, secretary, and chaplain. Her interest in journalism found an outlet in the college newspaper. In 1948 she was chairman of the horseshow at the University of Maryland.

MARILYN LANGFORD



"Faith, based on reason, backed by observation and experience, is the most powerful force in the world."

G. W. JOHNSON

Maturity—A changing concept

"We must recognize that for thousands of years we ordinarily have not been providing conditions for the rapid development of such organizations (*i.e.* WHO and the United Nations) to do their work for the human race. . . . There is one main condition which must be provided. There must be found and developed in enough places of the world enough truly mature people, soon enough and widely enough—and mature in the most modern sense of the word.

"Now, maturity is a changing concept. It does not mean what it meant a hundred years ago; nor does it mean what it did even twenty-five years ago. Maturity is a developmental process in mentality. Few people, in fact, have reached true maturity. . . . A considerable degree of immaturity prevails in large numbers of the population everywhere. The inability of people to live with other people, their inability to adjust to changing circumstances affecting them and those close to them, their inability to understand others' points of view is most marked.

"Some grown-up people, although they may have developed physically, have not yet completed their social development. . . . In the relation of persons there is indeed a long way to go in development. A child discovers his mother and then others in his family. He some-

times goes as far as discovering the people in his province and occasionally discovers and develops a real relationship with the people in his own nation. But it is still rare, it is very rare, to find a person truly loyal to all kinds of people in his own nation, no matter what their race, creed or politics. Only through such a general development, through such maturity, is it possible for the world to develop enough world citizens in enough places. . . .

"At all times there is movement and development. . . . At twelve or so the child should be functioning several months ahead of himself, at sixteen he should be eight or ten years ahead of his present self and should be planning his future. When a man has reached maturity he should be able to function, in terms of time at least, two to three generations ahead. The most important work being done in the world today will not reach its greatest fruition in this generation or even in the next, but in the generation after that. . . .

"The world has a great need for these people, these mature people, people who see time in these terms; and it is under these conditions that the work of the United Nations and other international organizations must continue. . . ."

World Health Organization Newsletter, Mar '49
DR BROCK CHISHOLM

Rush Chairmen—Summer 1950

Recommendations must reach rush chairmen by September 1

Addresses given are summer addresses, except for starred chapter names. As rush chairmen are not yet appointed for starred chapter names, address is given of an officer who will forward mail marked "for Rush chairman."

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Public relations: The attitude of the public, toward fraternities, depends primarily on the performance and accomplishments of the fraternities in their day-to-day activities.

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Distinguished Alumnae

Frances Holsoption Parsons, Beta Eta

This distinguished Theta we planned to present in a major article, which one of her good Theta friends was to be asked to furnish. Alas, by some slip-up the request was never made to this friend. So, now we give you only a few highlights about Mrs Parsons, and hope later to ask for, and get, a more comprehensive story for you. This sketch maybe will arouse your interest so you will be looking for the story in a later issue.

Frances Holsoption earned a PhD degree at the University of Pennsylvania, where she was a member of Kappa Alpha Theta's Beta Eta chapter. Her major was psychology, with a minor in history of education.

Next she became an associate psychologist with White William foundation in Philadelphia, earliest private organization doing social service work of the "home and school visitor" type in public schools.

In 1921, she was called to Rochester, New York, to organize a child study department for the city's Society for the prevention of cruelty to children, which department was to serve as a clinic, in cooperation with children's court and social agencies. This clinic developed into the Rochester guidance center, established in 1937.

In 1926 Frances Holsoption became Mrs Judson A. Parsons. Her husband is a Rochester attorney. They have two children, Judson, jr. born in 1929, and Catherine Anne, born in 1933. During the years while the children were growing up Mrs Parsons served on the boards of many Rochester civic organizations, ranging from Children's service bureau to Parent teacher association.

In 1938, Mrs Parsons became a part time instructor in clinical psychology, in Rochester university's School of medicine. Now she is a Rochester university associate in psychiatry, and its chief clinical psychologist. In addition to her clinical work, she supervises the work of graduate students in clinical psychology.

Now, after all this official data, here are some remarks on Frances as an individual and as a Theta, taken from a letter of Betty Keiper (also a Theta, and an alumna of Iota chapter).

"Frances is a quiet, unassuming person. She

has been a friend of mine for many years, so I can attest to her remarkable qualities, which include not only a most efficient piece of gray matter, but great understanding of human problems, and kindly humor. She is no energetic bustler, but rather a person of quiet persistence.

"In an era in which the adjustment of man to his environment becomes an even more complex problem, the recent (1949) establishment of Rochester university's psychiatric clinic in its new Medical center, is an important development. Frances Parsons having been long associated with the Department of psychiatry finds in this new set-up opportunity for expanding her work and giving to medical students opportunity for experience in actual clinical work.

"Frances Parsons has been a member of Rochester's Theta alumnae organization ever since she came to live in that city—and always finds time for friendly intercourse and visiting with Thetas, and other friends."

College Activities

During 1949, *Mortar Board* quarterly published a series of three articles about Dean Marna V. Brady of the University of Florida. Dean Brady is a member of Kappa Alpha Theta's Alpha Tau chapter at the University of Cincinnati. In working for her doctorate at Columbia university Marna Brady made a study of after-college activities of 210 women who had been members of Mortar board's University of Cincinnati chapter. This study formed the basis for Dean Brady's thesis, *The re-direction of college extracurricular activities in relation to later community participation*. That thesis is the subject of the reviewer's articles cited above.

Answers to a question as to the value individuals had found in college activities brought varied replies: 76% found them valuable. To quote opposite views: "College extracurricular activities played a part in arousing my interest and giving me some techniques and competence in civic participation." "Participation in extracurricular activities in my case resulted in a nega-

tive attitude toward later civic and community participation."

The entire series of articles should interest Thetas in our college chapters, and also point out to alumnæ some ways to better results of time consuming activities. Look up the Mortar board quarterlies in which these articles appeared.

Elizabeth Sherman Baker (Mrs Nathaniel W.) alumna of Tau chapter, and her husband, head one of the sections of the Cleveland (Ohio) library's Great book leaders. Such leaders first attend a training course conducted by Dean Barden of Cleveland college, and then by constant reading they prepare themselves to lead the various Great book evenings at the city's branch libraries.

Helen Kirkwood, Sigma, now living in England, has been for some years a social service worker with the Society of Friends, much of the time in England, though she has served on the European continent too.

After both the First and the Second World wars she worked with European children. When the second World war broke out she was in Berlin, and left for Prague on the last train to cross the frontier. This year she is a lecturer on sociology at the University of London.

Louise Brough, Omicron, Theta's star tennis player, with one of her Wimbledon teammates, Doris Hart, in January was playing exhibition matches with Australian women tennis teams in Sydney and other way-down-under cities.

Flying Is Their Business

The lure of the air still brings college girls as recruits for the vocation, or job, of airline stewardess. The latest additions among Thetas are—Dorothy Jane Arnold, Beta Kappa chapter; Lois C. Post, Beta Mu chapter; Grace Mary Schulze, Delta chapter; Carol Jean Cormack, Beta Iota chapter; Betty Carolyn Townsend, Alpha Gamma chapter: and twins from Alpha Phi chapter, Susan Jane Stewart and Jane Susan Stewart (yes, there are *two* of them, and the same names in reverse order are theirs, too).

Good looks surely is a qualification in this work, judging from the alluring pictures that accompany clippings about airline Theta hostesses!

Advice—to—a—Painter Poems 1633-1856

The University of Texas recently published a book under the above title. The author of this annotated bibliography is Mary Tom Osborne, Theta alumna of Alpha Theta chapter.

The bibliography is the result of her research, and PhD thesis on the special type of poems which had interested and been written by poets of various European nations during those two centuries. Mary Tom Osborne, was the winner of one of Kappa Alpha Theta's fellowships for study abroad. Her research started at the British museum, with later work in other English and continental libraries. She is now a professor at the University of Texas.

The fraternity surely has reason to be proud indeed of having had an opportunity to further the research of this scholarly alumna. Such a contribution by the fraternity is credited in the Foreword Dr Griffith wrote for the book.

Ellen B. Herndon, Beta Delta chapter, assistant Dean of women at Fresno State college, is a frequent contributor to the *Journal* of the National association of Deans of women. Her contribution in the January 1949 issue, *People not problems*, has some wise words of warning as to whether actual counseling or research work is the forte of many of these college officers; and if the latter, that it is just too bad if they attempt to counsel students directly. We quote her summary of one of the difficulties met on many campuses today.

"We seem to be losing a certain valuable aspect of our counseling contact, the aspect that builds up esprit and morale because of two influences.

1. The emphasis on the number of mal-adjusted students.
2. The emphasis on the scientific aspects of counseling to the exclusion of the personal factor.

"We are being so constantly deluged in magazines, in screen plays, and on the stage with the information that the world is full of mal-adjusted people, that it is not surprising that we tend to view students as problems when they come through our door. It is much akin to the situation we experienced when our sons came home from the war. We had read that they should be treated carefully—that we should

not ask questions, so we were practically tongue-tied with self-consciousness when we welcomed them home. We need to be aware of problems—we need to know the signs of maladjustment but often in our zeal and earnestness we magnify symptoms. Oftentimes the student needs only the buildup that a few cheery words can give."

Roommates

You have heard the expression, "Like father, like son," but here we have a new expression—"like roommate, like roommate."

Mary Stewart and Gloria Patton, seniors, who are roommates at the Michigan State Theta chapter house like the same things, and do things the same way. They both participate in outside activities, are good leaders, good students, and enjoy being with people.

Mary, majoring in journalism, has achieved a goal never before achieved by a girl at this college. She is the *first* women student to be editor of *Spartan humor magazine*. An editor's job is supposed to be a full-time one, but Mary does not confine her activity to that one job. She is president of Theta Sigma Phi. Through her efforts as chapter scholarship chairman, Theta won second place in scholarship, missing first place only by a few fractions of a point.

Gloria, who majors in speech and dramatics, has participated in plays and speech contests ever since coming to college. Her most recent role is Annabelle in *George Washington slept here*. As a freshman she won the oratory speech contest. She next competed in the regional contest, won that, then added another triumph by winning the State contest. But that wasn't the end. She went to the National contest in Evanston, Illinois. Every contestant was worn out by the speeches they had to make both in the afternoon and again at night, but, in spite of this, when at the close of the evening perform-



MARY STEWART AND GLORIA PATTON

ance winners were announced, Gloria received third place honors. But she wasn't there to hear the news, for she was on her way back to college so as to appear that night in the Michigan State studio play, *The faroff hills*. Other plays in which she has carried a lead part include—*All my sons*, presented by Theta Alpha Phi dramatic society, *The importance of being Earnest*, and *Romeo and Juliet*, where she was cast as Juliet.

Gloria's activities are not limited to drama however, as she is active in Pi Kappa Delta, science and arts society, and in Mortar board. She serves Beta Pi chapter as social chairman, too.

In spite of their many extra-curricular activities both of these girls manage to maintain a scholarship record well above the 2.3 all college average.

JANET PATTON

Kappa Alpha Theta House Party, June 21-25, 1950

Where? Swampscott, Massachusetts.

Martha Deweese Ivaldy, Rho

Living in Normandy on Liberation Road during the last half of the war, watching the retreat of the German Army, and being on hand for the unforgettable welcome of the Americans, was the unique experience of Martha Deweese Ivaldy. At that time she had already lived in six other French provinces since her marriage in America to Dr Fernan Ivaldy, in September, 1938.

The couple have three children born in France: Philippe, who was six weeks old when the Germans over-ran the country in 1940; Jean, born in Paris in the terrible winter of 1942; and Anna, born in Normandy in the spring of 1943. Since then they have a little sister, Elaine, who is basting the chicken on the spit in the accompanying picture.

Martha Ivaldy is best known as a collector of old French pewter table-ware, and copper, brass, and forged-iron household utensils. Last year she brought home to Lincoln, Nebraska, about 600 of these pieces weighing over a ton. They have been shown in the Joslyn Memorial museum at Omaha, in the seventeenth century galleries, and in numerous temporary exhibits sponsored by the Junior league, the Alliance Française, State

dance clubs, and dinner and luncheon groups.

The collection includes several graduated series of old pewter wine measures and a dozen *équelles*, or two-handed porringers, from which the French for several centuries ate two at every dish. There are a dozen types of lovely old pitchers, many kinds of plates, very unhygienic-looking pewter nursing-bottles, and especially tiny lamps using animal fat and a wick which was burned at both ends at once. Maybe such a lamp was the incentive for Edna St. Vincent Millay's lines,

"I burn my candle at both ends,
It will not last the night. . ."

Among the varied and picturesque copper and brass pieces are wall fountains, hearth dripping-pans to put under the spit, all sizes of cauldrons, teakettles, fish pans, bed-warmers (in which the hot coals of the hearth were put to warm the beds), more types of animal-fat lamps, hand-made candlesticks, watering-cans, eight-quart Normandy milk jugs, etc. The most notable iron pieces are an intricate forged iron hearthside table and half a dozen pairs of tall andirons with hooks for the support of spits, or bowls for keeping food warm until it was served. Mid-Western antique collectors have been enthusiastic buyers of many of these seventeenth and eighteenth century pieces.

It is interesting to note the manner in which Martha Ivaldy gathered her collection. Most of her antiques originally were made in Normandy, the province which the war hit the hardest. So often when they turned up afterwards they were misshapen, pierced, stained, tarred, eaten by soil chemicals, or had missing parts. One pitcher had four machine-gun holes, and some brass was burned beyond repair. Martha cleaned many pieces with wood ashes, some with pumice and sandpaper. But that was "drudgery," the fun was pulling the bellows-rope for the village blacksmith, or watching the tinsmith or musical-instrument repair man do a delicate bit of restoring.

Even before Martha Ivaldy's interesting experiences in war-torn Europe she had traveled somewhat extensively in France. It all began when she won a place in the first *Prix de Paris* contest sponsored by *Vogue* magazine, a contest for university seniors interested in fashion writing. This happened in the spring of 1936, when Martha graduated at the University of



THE IVALDY QUARTET: PHILIPPE, JEAN, ANNA,
ELAINE.

Nebraska. That summer Martha traveled and then spent three months at the Paris Cité Universitaire, where Faith Arnold Davies, another Rho alumna, accompanied her. They spent the time going to fashion shows, art exhibits, and in general getting a fashion background which was later to help Martha in her job as Fashion Training supervisor at Wanamakers in New York City. The following year Martha returned once more to Paris, for the International Exhibition of 1937. There she collected information for all—fashion publicity talks, using all she had seen of the French equivalent of the American World's Fairs, and of the fashion-showings at Molyneux; Lucien Lelong, Mainbocher, and many *other costumiers* of pre-war Paris.

At present Martha often speaks for luncheons or dinner-clubs on various French subjects, and she is preparing a series of stories of the Occupation in France.

Dorothy Maxwell, Rho

Public Relations as a Career

Karina Johnson graduated from the University of Montana in 1945, where she became a member of Alpha Nu chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta. Among her undergraduate activities were associate editor of the year book, editor of the university paper, member of Mortar board.

After graduating she went to Chicago to join the staff of the Furniture mart. February 1, 1950 she resigned from the position of Associate director of publicity and public relations, to go to New York city, as a member of the staff of Steve Hannagan and associates, a well known Public relations and publicity firm, with headquarters at 247 Park avenue.

Mrs Eleanor Poynter Jameson, Beta, is editor of the *Sullivan* (Indiana) *daily times*. She is a director of the Hoosier State press association, the first woman ever elected to its directorship. Last spring the Indianapolis alumnae chapter of Theta Sigma Phi at its Matrix Table dinner, presented to Mrs Jameson the Fanny Wright Memorial award, for the "Most distinguished contributions by a woman to Indiana journalism."

One of the five "prominent Vanderbilt alumni initiated into Phi Beta Kappa at the forty-eighth Anniversary meeting of the Vanderbilt university chapter," was Isabel Howell, assistant Tennessee state librarian, who for some years was a staff member of the Vanderbilt library. Isabel Howell is an alumna of Kappa Alpha Theta's Alpha Eta chapter at Vanderbilt.

To overdo loyalty to the past, in a changing world, is to risk the fate of Lot's wife and to become a monument on a road that will not be traveled again.

MARY M. ROBERTS

The essential ingredient of Democracy is not doctrine but intelligence, not authority but reason, not cynicism but faith in man and faith in God. Our strength lies in the fearless pursuit of truth by the minds of men who are free.

DAVID LILIENTHAL

Kappa Alpha Theta House Party, June 21-25, 1950

Where? Swampscott, Massachusetts.

Spaghetti Supper

Spaghetti Supper for the fraternity's Relief and rehabilitation fund, is an annual March event with Thetas at University of Vermont. It is open to the student body, as well as to town people. While a considerable sum is realized from this project, it is the accompanying planning and hard work which make it a memorable event for Thetas.

Any girl who takes an active part in the preparation of the Spaghetti Supper, gets many a chuckle over the many little difficulties. First, visualize four girls who are about to prepare spaghetti, salad, Italian bread, cake and coffee for approximately 500 people. Then visualize a small, poorly equipped kitchen: about four square feet of working space, a low, back-breaking sink, and an old stove. The first problem is to create enough working space. So the cooking committee has to be kept small. Every table in the house must be used in the kitchen. The only way to get in or out of the kitchen is to climb under a table. All this "setting up" was done Saturday night, for the cooks had to start bright and early Sunday morning, to have everything ready to start serving at five, that afternoon.

By 8:30 Sunday morning, four industrious girls were hard at work in the Theta kitchen. Others had been in charge of publicity, moving out all furniture, setting up buffet, and borrowing plates and silver. There was just the cooking left to be done. "Just" was what we thought at 8:30, but passing hours indicated otherwise.

First, there were packages and packages of spaghetti to be boiled. Every pot, pan, and dish-pan was used. Soon there were piles of limp, white spaghetti everywhere you looked. This went on for several hours, and many were the burned fingers and bottoms of pans, before the job was completed. In the meantime, about 200 pounds of cabbage had to be chopped-up, mixed with raisins and dressing, for a salad. The pots and pans situation was desperate, and where to mix the salad seemed impossible to solve. Someone, in an attempt to get things done in time, mixed salad in the top of the

coffee urn—purely by accident. Then, there were the dozens of loaves of Italian bread to be sliced. The person who did this job, incidentally, had an incapacitated right-hand for about three days. Compared to that job, cutting sheet cakes into 500 pieces was a minor task.

Fortunately, those who planned the food, had the good sense to buy from a local restaurant the sauce already prepared. The problem of what to use for cooking utensils continued: pans and kettles had been borrowed, but no one realized how spaghetti expands when cooked! By 4 o'clock it looked impossible to get both spaghetti and sauce reheated in time to start serving at five. As people did not come in large groups, but, scattered throughout the period to 7:00 p.m. the day was saved!

When coffee-making time came, there was, as always, the person who didn't shut the spigot off tightly when she filled the coffee pot, so for a while coffee streamed, unnoticed, over the kitchen floor.

From reading this "behind the scene" description of the Spaghetti supper, one might think that the Lambda Thetas were a highly inefficient, scatter-brained group. Viewing the situation from an objective standpoint, this is not true. Considering the conditions under which the girls were forced to work, and their inexperience in preparing food for a large number of people, it is amazing that the supper was the success which it was. Though food had been prepared for 400 people, and only 120 attended, the supper was a financial success, as well as winning high praises from alumnæ present. Leftover food was sold to fraternity houses, and the girls in the house did their part by eating spaghetti almost daily for a week!

To us all, our Spaghetti Supper meant long hours of exhausting work—but it meant a closer knit chapter when the job was done. Funny incidents which are bound to happen, the cooperation, the burnt fingers, and the "three cheers for the cooks" afterwards are among things which help to make Kappa Alpha Theta the wonderful sisterhood which it is.

"The danger is not apathy, but too much action, too little consideration."

G. W. JOHNSON

In Memoriam

Ella Parrett Hall (Mrs) *Alpha*
Died, June 30, 1948

Mabel Deacon Tippy (Mrs Charles) *Alpha*
Died in December 1949

Harriet Wearley Grayston (Mrs A. Kendrick) *Beta*
Died in September 1949

Margaret Osborne, *Beta*
Died in 1949

Marjorie Dorman McAtee (Mrs Willard E.) *Beta*
Died in February 1950

Edna Saunders Freels (Mrs Arthur M.) *Epsilon*
Died, October 14, 1949

Doris Wynkoop Wippermann (Mrs W. K.) *Iota*
Died, January 9, 1950

Caro Frances Barker Kingsley (Mrs C. S.) *Lambda*
Died, October 24, 1949

Evelyn Ward Dickson (Mrs Samuel A.) *Sigma*
Died in Fall of 1949

Susan Myra Kingsbury, *Phi*
Died, November 29, 1949

Hester Antoinette Jacobs Baker (Mrs C. C.) *Psi*
Died, January 17, 1950

Caroline Clothier, *Alpha Beta*
Died, March 10, 1950

Ada Wing Mead (Mrs Albert Davis) *Alpha Epsilon*
Died in 1949

Frances Hale Almy (Mrs Richard R.) *Alpha Eta*
Died in 1949

Marilyn Walter King (Mrs) *Alpha Xi*
Died, November 2, 1949

LaVere Langdon Coleman (Mrs J. P.) *Alpha Upsilon*
Died in 1949

Dr Tipton Mullins Joliffe (Mrs Edwin C.) *Alpha Phi*
Died, October 9, 1949

Virginia Schulze Pruitt (Mrs) *Beta Zeta*
Died in December 1949

Albertine Steele Moore (Mrs Harold Z.) *Beta Zeta*
Died, December 21, 1949

Jeanne Vail Chamberlin (Mrs Lewis C.) *Beta Tau*
Died September 24, 1949

College Chapter Editors

Here is a problem for you to solve.

"Having served as editor of my chapter as a senior, I know that it is sometimes inconvenient to send a chapter letter in on time to meet an issue's dead line. Also I know how good one feels when one has dropped such a contribution into the mail box ON TIME to arrive ON TIME. As an alumna I realize what a let down it is to find no letter from your own chapter (the thing most alumnæ look for first when they open the mail). Can't something be done to spur chapter editors to do their job? I also note that certain chapters are consistently delinquent in this matter, and to an alumna that is a reflection upon their chapter organization and strength." (Thirteen chapters earn this criticism in this issue.)

That paragraph is a direct quote from a letter sent the editor-in-chief, and is typical of a lot of alumnæ "letters to the editor". Since—no one but a chapter editor, and her chapter—can know whether or not the copy has been sent according to schedule, until too late for anything to be done about its being "not at hand"—let each newly elected chapter editor find the solution; let every chapter see that its editor follows the solution. That is the only possible way for the magazine to go to press boasting "a letter here from every college chapter." Your success (or failure) will be proved by what appears in the magazine from your chapter when "finis" is written on volume 65 of *Kappa Alpha Theta*.

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That you may understand the why of the above paragraphs, and also appreciate how many editors of fraternity magazines share in this problem, read what follows, quoted from contemporaries:

Dr George Benson, Harding College . . . has a job for millions of Americans—that of "selling Americanism to Americans." "The job", he said, "isn't an easy one. It involves preaching to preachers, teaching to teachers, and outpoliticking the politicians. . . . The only reward would be in having a big hand in saving America from destruction and decay. The threat of communists taking over this country isn't something you read about but it is a thing so close and near that it is breathing down our necks. . . . Americans should conspire to overthrow communism just as that fanatical order is seeking to overthrow Americanism."

"A fraternity is a national organization; each chapter is only one small unit of the fraternity. Each such unit is bound to other units by various links, of which the fraternity magazine is one link."

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"A great deal of the fraternity's money is spent on publication of the fraternity magazine. It is therefore to the best interest of all concerned that the magazine be representative of the best phases of fraternity life, as demonstrated by individual chapter interests and influence on the campuses where the fraternity has placed chartered groups."

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"The alumnæ, too, have a large part in helping the magazine to be representative of the broadening of fraternity fields, and the undertaking of enterprises of a philanthropic and intellectual value. Alumnæ are not only interested in what social functions occur on a campus, but also eager to understand the atmosphere and intellectual curiosity which makes college chapters valuable to colleges. They are also much interested in what alumnæ have done in the world at large, to demonstrate the attainments of college women in the life of city, state, nation, and the world. Since members of the fraternity are scattered over all the world, the fraternity magazine is their most direct source of information on all these matters. And only as they are alert to send the magazine news of themselves, and of other Thetas, can the magazine be truly representative of the fraternity. If you are too busy to write copy, at least you can clip items for publication, or send "tips" to be followed up by the editor."

They're Active, These Thetas

With deep regret, it has been necessary to omit from these letters, the interesting pictures some chapters sent. The reason for omission—the convention picture gallery used up the cut budget. Better luck another issue. LPG

Adelphi (Alpha Kappa)

Rush season ended with Alpha Kappa claiming 14 pledges: Janet Alexander, Irene Anthony, Barbara Denning, Eunice Johnson, Patricia Kiesling, Margie Kruger, Christine Lynes, Barbara Lynn, Marilyn McDonald, Lois MacKay, Rita Pancirov, Joyce Quinn, Dorothy Sheu and Helen Tiffany. Pledging was at Eileen O'Connor's home, November 11.

Our annual Christmas party, given by alumnae, was a wonderful success. Gloria Newman offered her beautiful home for the festivity, and we all enjoyed a full-course dinner which the alumnae prepared for us. Theta mothers and daughters exchanged presents. We also received some lovely gifts in the grab-bag. Highlight of the evening was the pledges' skit—a convincing take-off on members which proved to be most amusing as it "hit home" in many instances.

Christmas week the pledges gave the chapter a party at the home of Eunice Johnson in Garden City.

Thetas celebrated Founders'-day at a luncheon January 28 at the Village Bath club in Manhasset, Long Island. Guest speakers were Mrs Munz, District president and Colonel A. P. Simmons, noted Arctic explorer, lecturer, and an active alumnus of Phi Gamma Delta.

The following week Mrs Munz paid the chapter a three day visit. Pledges entertained her at a party January 2. All enjoyed her company and are looking forward to seeing her again.

February 15, we pledged Carolyn Newbell, a Garden City girl, whom we know will be an asset to Theta.

Pledges are eagerly awaiting initiation set for March 12, which will be followed by a banquet. They have had excellent pledge training under the leadership of Janet Quinn.

Many Alpha Kappa girls are planning to attend convention, with our official delegate, Agnes Krug.

27 February 1950

GERTRUDE MAY

Married: Muriel Pederson to Arthur W. Higgins, 70 Tulip av. Floral Park, N.Y.

Alberta (Beta Chi)

For Beta Chi 1950 opened successfully with the pledging of 27 girls. They are: Donna Brown, Judy Benfield, Jean Buckles, Verna Craddock, Marilyn Day, Rita Dickson, Shirley Douglas, LaDonna Evans, Marion Henry, Gloria Komarnisky, Mary-Louise Kester, Josephine Lamb, Andre Liden, Dorothy Livingstone, Harriet Lynn, Jane McNiven, Joan McFarlane, Flora Morrison, Jo-Ell Mohan, Pat O'Hara, Pat Paterson, Joan Phillips, Catherine Robertson, Shirley Smith, Irma Stanley, Marg Visser, and Sidney Woods.

We express many thanks to our alumnae who gave of their time and energy to help us with rushing. Mrs Schock, and other Calgary Thetas, deserve special mention for their efforts in our behalf.

Recent initiates are—Elaine Haley, Marion MacKay, Hazel MacKenzie, Marion Sharpe, and Katherine Taggart.

We were proud to have Kappa Alpha Theta members responding to the Panhellenic banquet roll-call, out-number the number present from any other group.

Our alumnae have refurbished and redecorated our chapter house. A lovely effect has been created by red and chocolate brown furniture against a grey background. We are extremely proud of our "new-look," on which we have received many compliments.

January 16 our annual formal supper dance was given. Alumnae, actives, and pledges shared an extremely enjoyable evening. We were pleased to have as guests, Mr and Mrs George Cheetum, both graduates of Kansas university.

Mrs Boldt, District president, is visiting us for a few days. We are all enjoying her charming company, and greatly appreciate her suggestions for making Beta Chi a stronger chapter.

Recently we gave a faculty tea, which our

house mother capably managed, to provide a pleasant afternoon for all.

27 February 1950

DORIS ROPER

Allegheny (Mu)

We were glad February 21, to initiate Jane Sadler of Pittsburgh.

February 20, Miss Williams, Dean of women, spoke at our Fireside on her college experiences and on *What are you doing for your college*. We enjoyed her choice of subjects as well as her presentation.

February 25, we gave a joint party with Kappa Kappa Gamma after a basketball game, at the Phi Delta Theta house, where kites and keys combined to make a wonderful party.

We've been having a lot of fun reading the answers that our adopted war orphan has sent to our letters. We evidently haven't made our letters too clear, for she seems to believe that some of us are excellent football players, while others of us are skilled seamstresses! We hope to get this straightened out soon.

3 March 1950

BARBARA JONES

Married: Unis Stewart to Robert A. Meckey, 927 Garfield av. Tarentum, Pa.—Elizabeth Fordon to Karl L. Klopfer, 272 Washington st. Geneva, N.Y.

Arizona (Beta Delta)

No letter received 14 March 1950

Married: Sally White to Jack Sterling Marsh, Los Crusces, N.M.

Born: To Mr and Mrs C. R. McNally jr (Lillian O'Haco) a son, Robert Scott, Oct. 8, 1949.

Beloit (Gamma Lambda)

No letter received 14 March 1950

British Columbia (Beta Upsilon)

April brings to a close another year for Thetas at the University of British Columbia. Beta Upsilon chapter has had another successful year.

The spring term seems to have been one of incessant queen hunting. Jean Long represented Theta at the annual Greek Letters society Mardi Gras, which is held each year to raise funds for the local Community chest. Marigold McKenzie was queen on the float of Phi Gamma Delta, when Stanford university invaded here in February. Jan Olsen, one of our pledges, was chosen by the Civil engineers

to represent them at the Science ball. Glyn Yoemans was a candidate for the Sweetheart of Sigma Chi.

The annual formal for the alumnae club and the college chapter was in February at the Royal Vancouver Yacht club.

New pledges include Ailsa McEachran (Joan's sister) Jan Olsen, and Molly Arneson. Ailsa has distinguished herself already as she is the proud wearer of the scholarship ring for obtaining the highest scholastic standing as a result of Christmas Exams.

Betty Payman was awarded a special scholarship for her successful portrayal of the "Woman" in the English department's production.

Following the Theta Cabaret, which again will be on the last day of exams, the chapter will board the boat for Shawnigan Lake, for the summer home of Diane Cox, where once again camp will be held. Plans have been made to initiate the pledges there, make plans for the coming rushing season, and for rest, sports and bridge. Rushing chairman for the forthcoming year will be Jean Long. President will be Katherine Murphy who also will represent the chapter at national convention.

1 March 1950

CECELIA BURT

Married: Barbara Pickin to John F. Beveridge, May 21, 1949, 2814 Bellevue av. W. Vancouver, B.C. Can.

Butler (Gamma)

None of us did much studying the first few days after Christmas vacation, since Butler's new million-dollar student union building, the John W. Atherton Center, opened the day classes began. We were all surprised and delighted at the gorgeous and luxurious furnishings. We soon settled down to studying, however; for final exams were hovering over us.

The new semester began February 6. February 15, our talented pledges gave us a wonderful half-hour stunt, on the theme *Life is just a holiday*.

Initiation will be March 5 for Ann Fuller, Helen Hodges, Patty Payne, Kathy Ryan, and Jody Thomas. Ann, Patty, and Kathy are honor initiates, all freshmen who made 3.5, or better grades, last semester. We are proud of them.

25 February, 1950.

JACKIE BRYANT

Married: Joan Scott to James A. Beeler, Vernon, Ind.—Joyce Hesler to Robert E. Hanna—Marilyn

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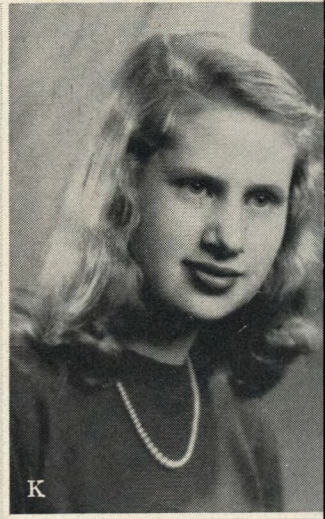
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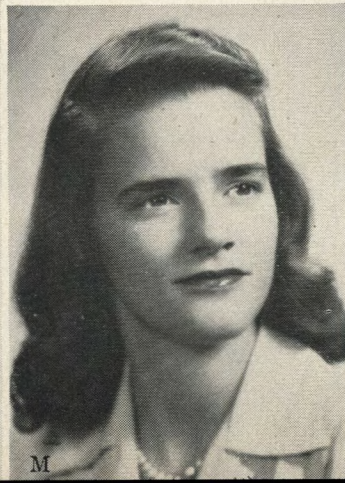
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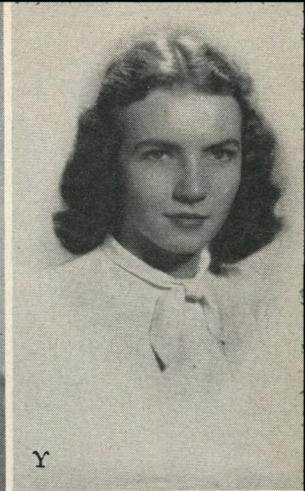
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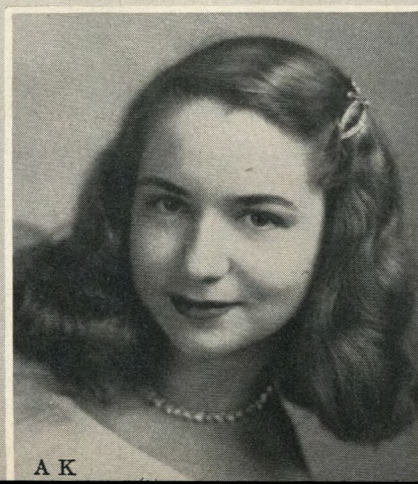
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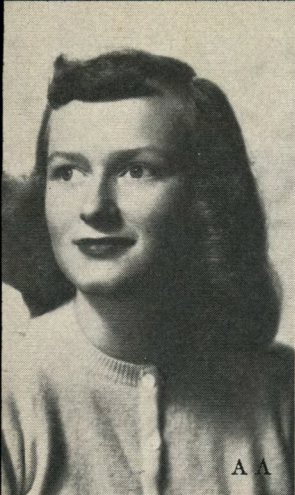
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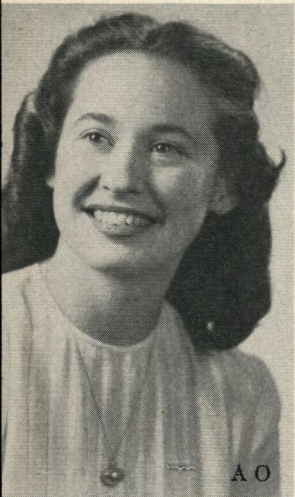
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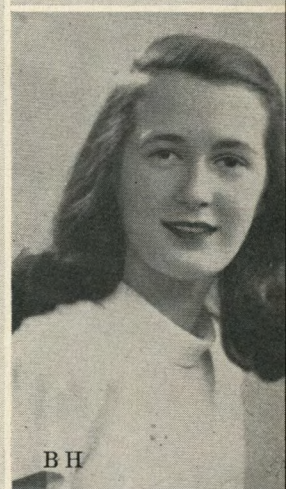
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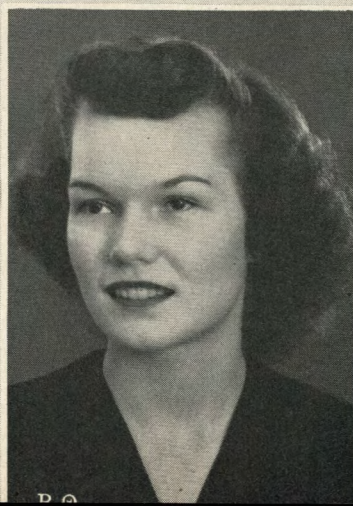
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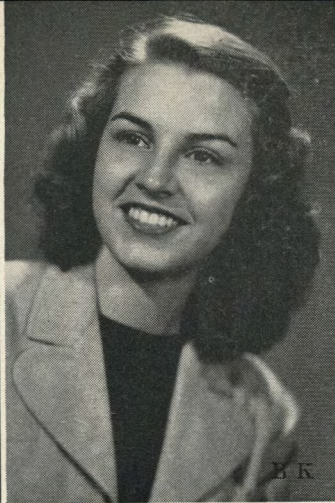
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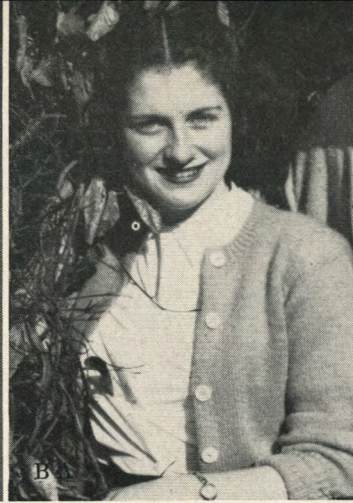
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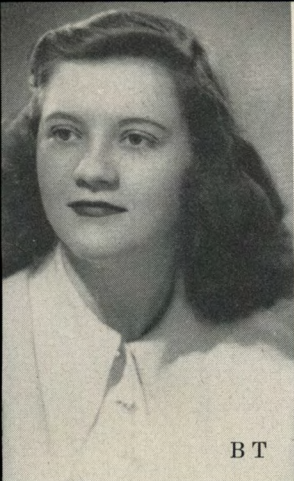
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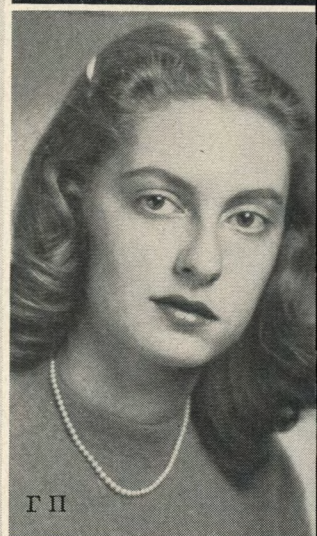
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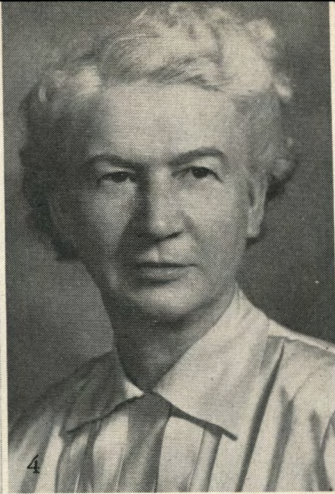
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23. Honolulu—MRS. BEN COMDON
24. Houston—STELLA SLADE BASS
25. Indianapolis—SALLY HAVEN MITCHELL
26. Kansas City—MARJORIE SHIRLAW PUCKETT



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- 28. Lincoln—MILDRED WEKESSER WEBERT
- 29. Long Island—JHAN SMEALLIE YOUNGS
- 30. Los Angeles—MARTHA BOYD WHITE
- 31. Madison—VIOLET BAGLEY MILLER
- 32. Miami—JEANNE MUTER BECHTOLT
- 33. Milwaukee—JEANNE HENKEL SEEFELD
- 34. Minneapolis—SARA FOORMAN KIRKMAN
- 35. Nashville—JANE CALDWELL DELANY
- 36. New Orleans—BARBARA MANN BIGGART
- 37. New York—ROSEMARY CRAWFORD
- 38. Oklahoma City—VIRGINIA FORD HOOD

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42. Pittsburgh—HARRIETT GLASSER KOHBERGER
43. Portland—JO MARSH BUSEY
44. Providence—MARJORY ANN TRUELL
45. Reno—RUTH LYONS SIMCÔE
46. St Louis—
47. St Paul—HELEN LASHELLE GARDNER
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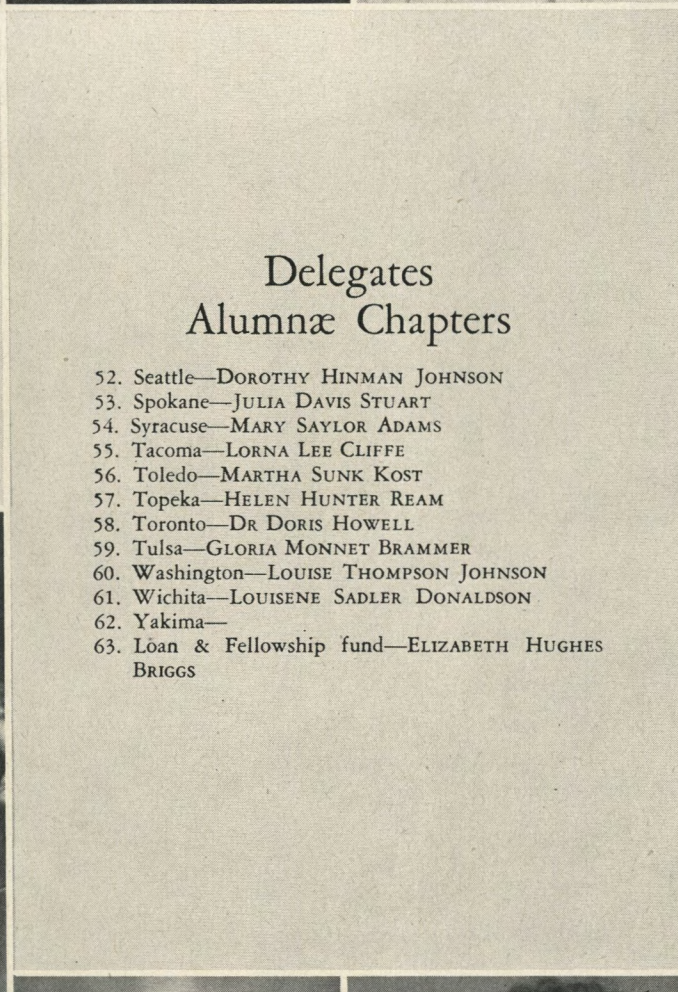
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California (Omega)

Omega's first official act this semester was affiliating Jean Hayes, from Upsilon chapter.

When we opened our doors for "Presents" the night of February 18, we greeted eight new pledges. Every one of us is immensely proud of freshmen, Janice Heyser, Oakland; Carol Holden, and Malou Westernoff, Alameda; Ann Kiefer, and Diane McCuiston, Berkeley; sophomores, Barbara Marrow, San Francisco; Marion Popone (Theta daughter) Honduras; and Nancy Wilson, Beverly Hills.

We took advantage of the holiday on Washington's birthday, to give a beach party for pledges. With warm sun cold water, and baseball, every girl ate her fill of hot dogs, potato salad, brownies and pop that were provided for lunch. It was a wonderful day, and we are all a bit tanner!

Initiation was February 26 for Elizabeth Breuner, Elinor Burns, Ann Hodge, Elizabeth Innes, Elizabeth Lowe, Sylvia Mooney, Patricia Mulligan, Peggy Ross, and Sandra Walden. Many alumnae attended the ceremony and banquet. The speakers' theme was "Our chain is as strong as its weakest link." Freshman speaker, Elinor Burns, sophomore speaker, Edie Marwedel, junior speaker, Ann Strong, senior speaker, Jan Garthwaite, and Mrs Joseph Quire, Dean of women at the university, each gave stimulating variations on the theme.

Our District president, Mrs Lively, visited us February 26 to 29. She had an opportunity to consult and advise each cabinet officer, and to meet with each class.

March 25, our Mothers' club is having a tea and fashion show. The college girls and some of the mothers will model what you should wear, and what you do wear. Original songs

and clever plans should make the afternoon a most unusually successful one.

28 February 1950 MARY ELLEN WHITTIER

Married: Meredith McCord to Robert Kemp, 640 N. Fulton st. Fresno, Cal.

California at Los Angeles (Beta Xi)

While reviewing fall semester we realize that Beta Xi had a full schedule, including a wide variety of events which brought excitement and pride to the chapter.

Mary Alyce Cosgrave won three thrilling titles within two weeks. Mary Alyce, a 1949 fall pledge was crowned Sigma Nu White Rose Queen, chosen from a bevy of beauties to become Freshman class Queen, and chosen one of four UCLA contestants to be flown to Fresno, to participate in the national Maid of Cotton contest.

Seventeen pledges eagerly awaiting the day when they can fly their kites are: Nancy Babcock, Mary Alice Clark, Mary Alyce Cosgrave, Virginia Elkins (sister of Nancy and daughter of Anita Wilson Elkins), Priscilla Frost, Patricia Heim, Dixie Kennicott, Lillian Kinney, Eugenia Lang, Barbara Lauer, Suzanne Marichal, Martha Murlin (daughter of Katherine Murlin, Gamma deuteron), Phylliss Patterson, Jane Taylor, Mary Turner, Joyce Whalen, and Patricia Williams.

Beta Xi participated in the wonderful luncheon attended by several hundred Thetas to celebrate Founders'-day. It was inspiring to know what Theta alumnae chapters of Southern California were doing, both for Theta philanthropies and in getting acquainted with other Thetas.

On the social calendar: A joint Kappa Alpha Theta-Phi Gamma Delta dance with a Christmas motif; a Faculty dinner to which we invited our favorite professors and their wives.

We are eagerly anticipating Our Father's dinner, and our Spring sing, both rated top-notch Spring social events.

Betty Baker and Virginia Elkins are holding their own in intramural tennis. They are entered in the finals and may bring home the trophy.

Anthie, our foster child, has been a source of great satisfaction. We thoroughly enjoy her letters and pictures.

Beta Xi proudly presented five new pledges February 11: Betty Ann Banks, Diane Comerford, Mary Ann Stevenson, Celesta Thayer, and Geraldine Ward.

Nancy Webster represented Beta Xi as delegate in the installation of Gamma Rho. Ten other members of our chapter helped with the initiation. In March Mrs J. Lively, District president, will be in southern California, and will pay a visit to our chapter.

1 February 1950

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Married: Margaret Ruth Oswald to Frederick H. Schneider, 80-15 Main st. Apt. F-1, Jamaica 2, N.Y.

Born: To Mr and Mrs R. J. Folks jr (Janet McNeeley) a daughter Linda Frances, Jan. 25, 226 Serrano dr. San Francisco 27, Cal.

California at Santa Barbara (Gamma Rho)

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Carnegie (Gamma Theta)

After a week's vacation following final exams, Gamma Thetas began the spring semester with a Panhellenic non-rush tea, February 12. This was followed by our rush party February 16 at Carnegie Union. February 23 we proudly pledged nine girls. They are Margot Bayley, Martha Frain, Diane Fryburg, Shirley Mattern, Patricia Sulzbach, Virginia Utz, Carol Wilson, Marjorie Rex, and Mary Jane Troop.

The second semester social calendar started off with the annual theater party sponsored by Pittsburgh Theta alumnae chapter at the Pittsburgh Playhouse. Proceeds were sent to logopedics, and to aid two war orphans. Gamma Thetas helped by selling candy before and during the intermission of the play.

At present, nineteen members of the chapter are busy practicing for the annual Greek Sing contest scheduled for March 10. In between song rehearsals, participants are making their own dresses of blue and white organdy for that evening. Thetas are really out to win the cup for "first-place" this year!

Plans for Tech's Spring Carnival are busily underway. Thetas have already organized various committees for the Carnival Queen campaign, for our booth on the Midway, and for our part in the sorority Skit contest. Dates for Carnival are May 11 and 12.

Congratulations are in order for Virginia Gorman. Two of her paintings have been hung

in the Associated artists' exhibit.

1 March 1950

POLLY SCHOFIELD

Married: Jean Boltey to John H. Emver jr Nov. 24, 1949, 831 Rebecca st. Wilkesburg, Pa.

Cincinnati (Alpha Tau)

The first two months of 1950 have seen a busy Chapter. Our Founders'-day banquet, January 28, was a wonderful occasion. It was a real privilege to meet, for the first time, Mrs Hofstead, Grand treasurer.

As a means of raising money for the Institute of Logopedics, we had a successful bake sale, and later a rummage sale. This is only the beginning of our 1950 Drive to aid this worthy cause.

Two new trophies are now shining from our mantel. One is from Sigma Phi Epsilon, which chose Joyce Ernst as its Queen of Hearts. The second was awarded us by the Disabled American veterans, as a third award for selling forget-me-nots to help their drive.

We had as our welcome guest February 14 and 15 Mrs Bingham our District president. The meetings and discussions which we had with her, were very valuable in helping to improve our chapter.

Something new in our chapter is slated for March 3, a Scholarship banquet with the loser in each couple of girls who were paired for improvement in grades last semester, furnishing the winner's meal. Our grades have made a big jump upward.

Our Social Calendar included a Tea dance with Pi Kappa Alpha February 26, an Open House for Sigma Phi Epsilon February 28, and a Buffet Supper for Theta members and pledges given by Alpha Tau Omega on March 7. We are looking forward to a wonderful Sport Party March 11.

March 19 Alpha Tau will initiate nineteen girls: Jean Albers, Martha Jo Burton, Barbara Butsch, Dorothy Coughlin, Joan Donlon, Jane Espy, Doris Fearing, Priscilla Garrison, Nancy Hattersley, Betty Kleine, Jean Lantz, Catherine McHale, Barbara Miller, Janet Niehus, Barbara Sproull, Sarah Jane Strickland, Mary Lynn Tucker, Lois Westerman, and Carla Wuest.

We are working on plans for Spring Formal April 29, and raising our voices in practices for the Inter-Fraternity sing May 14 and 15. 28 February, 1950

PATRICIA GILL

Born: To Mr and Mrs William L. Robertson (Jane Burlingame) a daughter, Jane Elizabeth, Dec. 2, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs Jas. McGrady (Glenna O'Rear) a second child, Kathleen Ann, Dec. 19, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs P. R. Davis (Peggy Davison) a daughter, Linda Frances, Sept. 7, 1949, 3734 Andrew av. Cincinnati 9, O.

Colorado (Beta Iota)

With the turn of the century, Beta Iota welcomed new winter quarter by initiating January 28: Bev Billiter, Suzanne Borst, Billie Burnham, Virginia Campbell, Kathy Chehak, Robin Dunn, Debbie Green, Louise Horne, Jane McKown, Sharlene Stevens, Ann Truckess, Mary Lou Webster, Marilyn Weller, Barbara Witchell.

During a week of open rush, we pledged Nancy Groesbeck, Grosse Pointe, Michigan; Pat Mc Caslin, Longmont; Pat Parker, Denver. And then Winter Carnival weekend was an exciting and profitable one with Beverly Hunt reigning as one of three queen finalists.

Representing us at convention will be Suzie Brady, president, and Sandy Shenefelt, social chairman.

This quarter is jam-packed full of things to take part in! February 24 was a memorable occasion as the Theta skit was one of the eight finalists for the Associated women's students vaudeville. Under the capable direction of Nancy Ingwersen, we went on to win first place with our version of *Heart's desire*. Our formal given by the pledges for members, February 25, theme Fantasia, was a great success and enjoyed by all.

Porpoise, women's swimming society, will have its annual aquacade March 2-4, under the leadership of president, Kay Bondus, with eight other Thetas in the group. Orchesis, modern dance organization, with Suzie Brady as president, will give its annual program March 10-11.

Mary Lou Aufderheide was chosen assistant general chairman of Colorado University days, Mary Lou Hawkins was appointed chairman of Carnival committee while Pat Tillotson is the assistant chairman of the King-Queen committee. Shirley Paidar is the new Publicity chairman for Associated women students and Senate.

1 March 1950 MARY LOU AUFDERHEIDE

Married: Elizabeth Lee Gibson to Mathew Benjamin Cowden, Dec. 27, 1949, Hilo, T.H.—Ann

Stalder to Frank P. Spratlen III, 1582 Harrison st. Denver 6, Col.—Donna Lee Moynahan to James R. Cross, 2977 Courtland blvd. Shaker Hts., O.—Dorothy Stalder to Reed R. Hannon, 1580 Harrison st. Denver 6, Col.—Marylyn Stephenson to James H. Andrews, Aug. 1947, 2914 9th st. Boulder, Col.

Colorado College (Beta Omega)

January 27 we had our Founders'-day banquet at the Village Inn. After a delicious turkey dinner, Mrs Ruth Evans Nate, our former housemother and a Theta, gave an informal talk on what Theta has meant to her. We ended the program with a rendition of the Theta medley.

Shortly after Founders'-day, we were honored to have Mrs Fergus, District president, as our guest. Although her visit was short, we all met her at an informal supper at the lodge in her honor, and found her charming.

Second semester rush week began January 29, and included an open-house and one party. Beta Omega is happy to welcome six new pledges: Darlene Bader, Grand Junction; Evelyn Andrews, Colorado Springs; Carolyn Spackman, Coatsville, Pennsylvania; Charlotte Trego, Denver; Jane Wallace, Dallas, Texas, and Judy Johnson, Durango.

February 26 we initiated Janet Adams, Alice Altendorf, Caroline Clark, Sammy Dunn, Helene Greene, Barbara Harvey, Emily Howe, Lavonne LaGrange, Barbara Neely, Sally Rambeau, Judy Roddewig, Patricia Sabin, and Marlyn Waggener.

Beta Omega is proud. Publication of first semester grades found Kappa Alpha Theta and Kappa Kappa Gamma tied for first place, with a 2.4 average.

We are planning our Spring Formal, to be in April.

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HELENE GREENE

Married: Virginia Servatius to Robert Merriom, Jan. 26.—Dorothy Mae Goss to Lewis Norris, Feb. 10.—Denice Shoneberger to Edwin Scott, June 24, 1949.—Gladys Geraghty to A. Walter Schmidt, 2407 59th pl. Cheverly, Md.—Maxine Jarvis to W. E. Dougherty jr, Nov. 24, 1949, 631 N. Bell st. Shawnee, Okla.

Colorado State (Beta Gamma)

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Married: Margaret Mary McCord to Mr W. L. Somervell jr, 2712 Lee blvd. Arlington, Va.—Virginia

Schurch to Arthur Marshall, 700 W. Myrtle st. Fort Collins, Col.—Pauly Gano to Merrill A. Otis jr. 406 S. Loomis st. Fort Collins, Col.—Anna Mae Nieder to Mr D. E. Hurt, 805 N. Tulane st. Albuquerque, N.M.—Mary Ann Eggers to James Laurence, 855 S. Josephine st. Denver, Col.—Sue Talley to Lon Stevens, Wheatland, Wyo.

Connecticut (Gamma Zeta)

Gamma Zeta got off to a busy start second semester. February 3, after a well-needed vacation, we had a pre-initiation banquet at the Hayloft in Coventry. February 9, nineteen wonderful girls for the first time wore the black and gold kite. We are happy to welcome as Thetas—Anne Christian, Patricia Collins, Mona Conway, Mildred Crowley, Janice Davis, Lois Gronberg, Barbara Haugh, Patricia Kohl, Beverly Mann, Lee Murray, Ann Muus, Janice O'Conner, Joan Perkins, Lucy Ritch, Carol Rowlands, Catherine Wagner, Phyllis Walford, Shirley Watts, and Florence Wiberg. After initiation we treated fraternities on North campus to a spirited serenade.

We are proud of new initiate, Shirley Watts, chosen by Harry Conoyer as a candidate for Co-Ed Captain of the Military ball, to be March 10. Congratulations are in order for Eleanor Carlson chosen Sigma Nu girl to reign as Queen for 1950. She succeeds Harriett Velms, who was Sigma Nu's 1949 girl.

We're making preparations for a new chapter house, which will be ready next Fall. A capable committee already has selected drapes and the general color scheme for the dining room.

Second semester pledging, February 28, brought Theta Joyce Calchera, Virginia Carney, Ann Ripley, and Adrienne Zimmermann.
28 February 1950 MARGARET KERR

Married: Jane Carol Hancox to Mr Sumby, 5121 Benning rd. S.E. Washington 19, D.C.

Cornell (Iota)

Since Christmas time, Iota members have done little but celebrate Founders'-day and, soon after, settle down for a two week session of rushing—for Cornell is one of the colleges which has spring term rushing.

On January 16, Ithaca alumnae club joined with the college chapter for a buffet supper in honor of the anniversary of Theta's founding.

Each participant contributed pennies equal in number to her age, in accordance with the national custom—the money going to the Friendship fund. A hilarious skit followed, playing up the lighter side of the forthcoming rushing period.

Rushing started February 11, with a series of open houses. Highlights of Theta's rushing were a romping Winnie-the-Pooh party, and a sophisticated tour to the land of the Arabian Nights. Guests at the Pooh party were greeted with *London Bridge* and quickly fell in with the general spirit of such games as musical chairs and pin-the-tail-on-the-donkey! Entertainment followed the theme and consisted of a juvenile rendition of *Animal crackers in my soup*, the famous Theta monotone quartet with a couple of choice numbers, and an animated dramatic presentation of a chapter from *Pooh* itself.

A trip to the Sultan's palace in far-away Arabia was the setting for the appearance of a number of exotic characters—Ali Baba, thieves, Sinbad the Sailor, slave girls and merchants, and numerous harem wives (all Thetas in disguise!). This skit followed in the wake of a candlelight dinner, served by four strapping Cornell boys posing as waiters.

The result was eighteen wonderful pledges, including four upperclassmen. Pledging was at the chapter house February 27, with a banquet following to honor the new class. Pledges are, Marion Andrus, Fort Meyer, Virginia; Sonya Bloser, Columbus, Ohio; Barbara Brothers, Hartsville, Ohio; Dorothy Clark, LeRoy, New York; Dorothy Glover, Atlanta, Georgia; Patricia Gunderson, Minneapolis, Minnesota; Beatrice Habberstad, Rochester, Minnesota; Jane Heitkamp, Westfield, New Jersey; Nancy Helm, San Gabriel, California; Barbara King, Syracuse; Alice Ann Marquardt, Briarcliff Manor; Mary Ellen Nordgren, Little Fall; Rema Reyes, Collingswood, New Jersey; Wilma Robbins, Bloomfield Hills, Michigan; Janet Rose, Kenmore; Greta Rystedt, Mountain Lakes, New Jersey; Virginia Wenz, Schenectady; and Mary Ann Wurth, Crawford, New Jersey.

February 26 Iota initiated sophomore Cynthia Harvey.

28 February 1950 MARION STEINMANN

Married: Carolyn Claggett Kervan to Sterling B. Blakeman, 41 Roswell av. Long Beach, Cal.

Denison (Beta Tau)

Although we breathed a sigh of relief when exams ended January 28, it was with heavy hearts and sad faces that we bid farewell to juniors Anne Leonard, Jean Forsythe, and Lucy Covington, who are to be married in the near future.

The chapter house had been turned into everything from a ranch to an old-fashioned candy shop, but the way it was dressed on February 10 for the pledge formal really took the prize. Using "South Pacific" as their theme, the girls turned the house into a Bali-High paradise. Native huts, palm trees, tropical jungle, and an erupting volcano set the scene for the evening's activities. Pledges and their dates were fed a dinner cooked by juniors, and served by seniors who, in keeping with the spirit of the evening, had dressed in grass skirts, sarongs, flowers and bare feet. The clean-up was administered by sophomores, so we danced to "South Pacific" records without a care.

With the coming of Student government elections March 6, Thetas are proudly backing its two candidates, juniors Shirley Osborn and Sally Brown, who are running for the co-presidency.

Everyone was busy gathering pennies for the Friendship fund collected at Founders'-day banquet February 23.

The week-end of February 25 saw the Denison Winter Carnival celebration, ending in an all college dance climaxed by the crowning of a Queen, Theta Lynn Olwin, sophomore.

28 February 1950 MARILYN YODER

Married: Janet Bailey to Gordon Hobson, Feb. 11. Columbus, O.—Paula Field to Donald Watkins in Feb. Detroit, Mich.—Peggy Zimmerman to Sanford Hallak, III, in Feb. Columbus, O.—Libby Swiler to Thomas O. Bruch, Feb. 4. Shaker Heights, O.—Margaret Boggie to William J. Krantz, 2614 S. Jefferson blvd. Lorain, O.—Helen Boggie to George W. Burog, 17411 Kinman rd. Cleveland 20, O.—Jean DeTar to John M. Shaw, 335 E. Huron st. Ann Arbor, Mich.

DePauw (Alpha)

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Married: Peggy Chapin Hays to John Hamerstadt, 3515 N. Pennsylvania st. Indianapolis, Ind.—Esther Bundy to B. G. Kramer, 2117 S. 62d st. Omaha 6, Neb.—Elizabeth Finley to Russell C. James, 520 N. Meridian st. Indianapolis, Ind.—Barbara Gustafson to John M. Blair, 24 Briar rd. Golf, Ill.

Born: To Mr and Mrs J. E. Brock (Isabelle Conarrae) a son, John Conarrae, Dec. 27, 1949.

Drake (Beta Kappa)

The Thetas at Drake are in wonderful spirits! Rush is over and we have a fine group of pledges: Carol Benson, Ann Carpenter, Joan Coffie, Charlotte Curtis, Shirley Curtis, Janice Czerwankie, Sandra Dunn, Paula Fowler, Mirian Gray, Marilyn Hanna, Marney Hinn, Karen Holmes, Nancy Johnson, Jane LaPlant, Marjorie Roberts, and Carol Simpson.

The six *Quax*, yearbook, beauties have been chosen by Chester Morris. Theta Marjorie Volmer is one of them. Marjorie was a Home-coming attendant last fall, is our new social chairman, and a straight "A" student.

Betty Rae Willis, new president, will be delegate to convention. She is so thrilled that we suspect already she has tucked a few things into her suitcase!

26 February 1950 ELOISE GILBERTSON

Adopted: By Mr and Mrs Kirby Shoffler (Luverne Gray) a son, David Bryan, in Aug. 1949.

Born: To Mr and Mrs E. C. Diehl (Eldred Breedlove) a daughter, Jan. 23.—To Mr and Mrs Richard Soyster (Jane Rogers) a daughter, in Aug. 1949.—To Mr and Mrs Ed Tesdell (Mernabelle Opp) a son, Dennis, Oct. 19, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs Arthur M. Shiver (Lucille Botts) a daughter, Susan Shannon, Dec. 2, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs T. C. Shaw (Harriette Jones) a son, Michael Walker, Aug. 6, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs Kenneth Lilly (Beverly Lindstrom) a son, Kip Lindstrom, June 6, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs Ralph Hollingsworth (Virginia Hanson) a son, Ralph Bradley, Aug. 14, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs Leonard Howe (Ruth Meyer) a daughter, Tracey Jean, Aug. 20, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs Calvin Wood (Doris Lohr) a son, Dennis James, Aug. 11, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs Herb Selby (Harriett Kirkham) a son, Kirkham, Aug. 16, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs Harold Gardinier (Sally Harvey) a daughter, Mary Cecelia, Aug. 15, 1949.

Duke (Beta Rho)

Spring is tiptoeing around the corner, and Duke is beginning to get that new-look. Kappa Alpha Theta proudly will present its pledges at the annual Triad dance given with Kappa Kappa Gamma and Pi Beta Phi on March 4. March 5 will find Theta kites flying on Nancy Barrows, Ann Armiger, Mary Glenn Reams, Ann Schuster, Ann Schlatter, Nancy Nichols, Nan Williams, Ann Gunderson, Lee McGill, Betty Dabney, Joan Gummels, and Betty Mae

Canada. Following initiation, a banquet at Miller's will be in order.

The Southern Conference basketball tournament will be in full swing March 2-4. Kappa Alpha Theta will be well represented with Molly Bixby, Margie Arthur, Helen Eklund, Ann Armiger, and Marion Chapman serving as sponsors. Modeling in fine style for the senior fashion show in March are Margie Arthur, Brad Bradley, Jana Hanser, and Wink Boone. The Duke Symphony orchestra presented its annual concert, where we applauded Jody Jones' violin performance. Wink Boone is a recent appointee to the Social Standards committee.

With campus elections coming soon, with frequent socials in our room, and plans for a big cabin party, Beta Rho is happy.

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EMILY BOONE

Married: Patricia Way to Donald A. Anderson, 403 Gonzalez dr. San Francisco, Cal.

Florida State (Beta Nu)

Home-coming brought honors to Beta Nu. Bobbie Pettit was elected Home-coming Queen by the student body. The same week Pi Kappa Alpha chose her as its Dream Girl. Barbara Fosgate was also chosen as a sponsor by a fraternity. She will represent Phi Delta Theta in the annual.

Pledging was January 24 for Darlene Missio, Frances Powell, and Jackie Morris.

All seventeen first semester pledges made their grades and February 11 they were initiated. They are Audrey Condict, Nancy Crossen, Ruth Haberkorn, Shirley Haire, Nina Jean Lester, Marilyn Beach, Nancy Brown, Janie Bugg, Nancy Day, Mickey Flannery, Edna Oliver Holton, Peggy Leonard, Audrey Lewis, Mary Jayne Pinney, Barbara Reed, Alexis Shaw, and Anne Strickland.

Beta Nu has reason to be proud of some members. Nancy Bennett has been elected a cheerleader for the third consecutive year, and also will serve on judiciary another year. Barbara Boyden was chosen for Kappa Delta Pi. Marie Chillingworth, Nancy Brown, Bobbie Pettit, and Jo Anne Vaughn are taking part in the annual Sandspur variety show. Nancy Brown, Mary Jayne Pinney, Shirley Haire, Jacque Harrington, and Bobbie Pettit were

tapped for Cotillion, dance organization. Peggy Leonard was tapped for Village Vamps, "the heartbreakers" on campus. Darlene Missio was elected vice-president of Cotillion. Marie Chillingworth has been helping promote the idea of experimental living abroad, as the result of her experiences last summer.

February 24 Theta weekend started off with a "Roaring twenties" party. The annual Powder puff bowl was played the next afternoon. Thetas met the Pi Phis in a game of touch football and were defeated 12-0. Money collected at the game was given to W. S. S. F. That night the King Neptune theme was used for our formal dance. Barbara Fosgate was crowned queen, by Dr Campbell, president of our university. The highlight of the evening was dancing to an arrangement of *Theta Lips*.

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BARBARA RIMER

Married: Ruth Terrell to M. E. McLeod, 3109 Park st. Jacksonville, Fla.—Betty Jane Singleton to Joseph Triplett III, 1821 Riviera pkwy. Jacksonville, Fla.—Carolyn Jones to V. M. Graves jr. Box 484, Culpeper, Va.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Paul Mikler (Virginia Balkcom) a son, William Paul, May 27, 1948, and a daughter, Martha Virginia, Aug. 18, 1949, Rt. 1, Box 98, Oviedo, Fla.

Geo. Washington (Gamma Kappa)

We are well into second semester and nearing the end of another successful year in Theta. The year started with the initiation November 12, 1949, of Elaine Hendershott, Madelaine Barry, and Nancy Roberts.

Highlights of the fall semester included pledging of twelve freshmen; exchange dances with Sigma Chi, Kappa Sigma, and Sigma Nu; a party for pledge parents; and just before the holidays, our pledge formal at the United Nations club.

Anne Sheppard is treasurer of junior class. Pat McNally is vice-president of sophomore class.

After February rushing, we pledged Lou Ann Humphrey, Henriette Metzertott, Beverley Perry, Washington; and Nina Watkins, Arlington, Va.

Pat McNally has been chosen Moonlight Princess by Phi Sigma Kappa. Margaret Fritsche and Nancy Cochran are pledged to Phi Pi Epsilon, society for Foreign Affairs majors.

Initiated February 25 were Barbara Benner, Barbara Elam, Laura Larrick, Eileen McNally, Margaret Harrington, Susan Law, Janice Williams, Margaret Fritsche, Elura Mumford, and Shannon Davenport. After initiation we entertained new initiates at a luncheon. Awards went to Eileen McNally, chosen as model pledge, and to Susan Law for highest scholarship.

We are in the midst of sing practice annual Panhellenic function March 29. This year beside a Theta song, we are singing *April In Paris* under the able guidance of Mickey McKee who undoubtedly has all the patience in the world.

We are proud that Margaret Fritsche will reign as queen at the fancy dress ball at Washington & Lee university. Margaret is also one of four finalists for queen of *Cherry Tree*.

Ann Maupin will represent Gamma Kappa chapter at the National convention; she was elected to Tassels, sophomore women's honorary; and she is serving her second year as Rush Chairman for Gamma Kappa.

LUSADEL MOORE

Georgia (Gamma Delta)

Fourteen girls were initiated January 29. We are proud to welcome into our chapter Carlyn Price, Joan Haley, Emily Aderholt, B. J. Fussel, Judy Adams, Nancy Brown, Mickey Sellars, Florence Forehand, Ann Jackson, Edith Blair, Pat Hunter, Alice Cole, Sybil Kennedy, and Margaret Mew.

Founders'-day banquet was as usual a great success. As we looked around the table we saw many alumnæ who had returned to celebrate the memorial event of January 27, 1870.

We are proud of raising our scholastic average seven places, with an 80.22 average. This data was due to a new study hall system installed fall quarter.

Claire Taylor recently was elected Sigma Nu sponsor. On January 21 she was crowned queen of Roosevelt Memorial ball. Edith Blair, who had a lead role, helped make the presentation of *Student Prince* successful.

Two weeks ago, the Theta Mothers club of Atlanta, presented us with a radio victrola floor model. We are all delighted and proud of our lovely gift.

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KATHERINE GATES

Married: Lufred Brooks to Earl Potts, Lebanon, Ind.—Janet Nay to Frank L. Garenbauer, 10 Stel-Mar apts. Wheeling, W.Va.

Goucher (Alpha Delta)

With great pride we announce the results of rushing; eighteen fine pledges. They are—Virginia Abell, Long Beach, California; Jane Basler, Cincinnati, Ohio; Barbara Cusack, Pelham Manor, New York; Patricia Haley, Winter Park, Florida; Louise Hightower and Gail Oberdorfer, Atlanta, Georgia; Jean Johnson, Phyllis Kane, Martha Kemp, Ann McCord, Patricia Pontius, and Shirley Thomas, all of Baltimore; Ann Kimball, Newton, Massachusetts; Jane MacRae, Asheville, North Carolina; Betsy Montross, Chappaqua, New York; Karen Muller and Patricia Petersen, Evanston, Illinois; and Frantiska Spaulding, Wichita, Kansas.

February 6 was a most eventful day: in the afternoon fifteen pledges were initiated, which was followed by the delightful Founders'-day banquet planned by Baltimore alumnæ. The interesting speaker for the evening was Ann Barley, author of *Patrick calls me mother*, with toasts given by alumnæ and undergraduates. Another pledge, Carolyn Schuman was initiated, February 21.

Shortly before Christmas we spent a wonderful evening at the home of Claire Krantz,—our Christmas party. We all enjoyed skits and games, as well as the exchange of gifts, distributed by "Santa" Nancy Heckle, and delicious refreshments.

After Christmas came the party given by our pledges, the Kite-club, complete with floor show and food. We had a gay time and were delighted to find so much talent among pledges. Winter cotillion was February 4, with Thetas having a formal banquet before the dance.

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ROSEDA CLARK

Idaho (Beta Theta)

Beta Thetas are not superstitious! This was evident at the "Western Jamboree" at the chapter house on Friday January 13. Girls donned gay cotton pinafores and hoop skirts, while their escorts resembled men of the Buffalo Bill era. Dancers found themselves in a "ghost town," complete with spider webs, covered

wagons, and an abandoned mine. Their burlap programs notified them to check their shooting irons at the door! Refreshments were served in "The Covered Wagon Room," at intermission. The Thetas, unfortunately, forgot to check their horoscopes and dance time found the orchestra stranded in the worst blizzard in fifty years. Undaunted, they arrived, and later "Swing your partner," and other square dance calls echoed back and forth until midnight. Marianne Tufts and Pat Albertson planned the decorations for this most successful dance.

Phi Gamma Delta invited us to join them in a buffet dinner at their chapter house. The January cold kept us from having the anticipated sleigh ride, but the evening was spent playing cards, dancing, and singing fraternity songs. Our sunny back yard with its outdoor fireplace will be the setting for a spring picnic with Phi Gamma Delta.

We are happy to announce Joan Tolmie from Homedale, is a second semester pledge.

February 26 was a happy day for twelve pledges: Colleen Bickford, Betty Brock, Shirley Churchill, Lois Dodson, Joyce Fisher, Rae Gentry, Marilyn Green, Patricia Harris, Charlotte Henry, Mary Kay Johnson, Dorothy Sylvester, and Barbara Sweet. After attending church together, initiation was in the chapter house. Moscow alumnae were present for the services and for the formal banquet, that evening.

We are looking forward to our spring dance May 20. The doors to our patio will be opened, and flowers will be inter-laced in lattices.

An annual affair at our chapter for friends in other women's living groups is the "Kidnap breakfast." Thetas call for their guests at seven a.m. on some Sunday morning for a pajama party.

We are proud to add the names of Lucille Driggs and Natalia Brown to our list of Vandaleers, popular campus choir. Other Thetas in this organization are Joyce Fisher, Ellomae Holden, Lorraine Rudolf, and Barbara Sweet. Ellomae Holden, noted campus pianist and accompanist for Vandaleers, has made Beta Thetas proud. She appeared recently as guest artist at the winter concert of the University Symphony orchestra. Ellomae brought back to the Theta house the first place trophy from the annual Blue Key Talent show.

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JOYCE FISHER

Illinois (Delta)

Delta is proud and happy to welcome 15 new initiates: Ann Babb, Thomasboro; Wanda Bash (sister of Shirley) and Barbara Becker (sister of Joanne), Champaign; Betty Berryhill, Decatur; Mary Buchanan, Highland Park; Laura Donagher, Ann Maher, Winnetka; Donna Gilmore, Bethesda, Maryland; Alice Haungs, and Valorie Ramey, Peoria; Elizabeth Ivens and Mary Jean Mitchem (sister of Angeline), Urbana; Mary Plant, Flossmoor; Nancy Rynearson, Springfield; Beverly Wullenweber, Dixon. Initiation was February 25, and was followed by a banquet in honor of the initiates.

Barbara Johnson, transfer from Alpha Psi chapter, was affiliated by Delta February 19. This semester we have another new transfer, Nancy Roberts, from Psi chapter.

Last fall Kappa Alpha Theta was awarded the Panhellenic Scholarship Improvement plaque in scholarship spring semester. The house average was 3.9270. Two Thetas have been initiated into Phi Beta Kappa, Jacqueline Weaver and Carolyn Nelson. Two new initiates, Laura Donagher and Valorie Ramey, are members of Alpha Lambda Delta.

During the Christmas season we had a formal dance, a Christmas caroling, and joined Tau Kappa Epsilon in entertaining children from a nearby children's home.

Three seniors, Jacqueline Weaver, Mary Alice Eastman, and Mary Graham, were among one hundred seniors honored for outstanding work in activities at the "One Hundred" banquet December 12.

Graduated February 12, were Ann Rovelstad, Courtney Mohr and Carolyn Nelson.

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JANE SULLIVAN

Married: Jeanette Stafford to Mr Shroyer, 201 E. Elm st. Champaign, Ill.—Jane Brigham to Mr Helfrick, 266 Chester av. San Francisco, Cal.—Sally Sproat to Mr Mays, 1301 Buena Vista st. Decatur, Ill.—Janet Truitt to John Schnebly, 20½ W. Exchange st. Freeport, Ill.—Catherine Chambers to John H. Hamilton—Ann Curry to Loren Lewis—Nancy Moore to Richard Hoerner—Eleanor Jane Lang to Mr Chapin.

Indiana (Beta)

With February came Rush, six days of skit practices, refreshments, smiles and chatter. The tension increased until the only thing talked about was rush. We emerged triumphantly!

February 11, we pledged sixteen girls and enthusiastically rang out *Three cheers for Theta*, until the roof of our solid, stone house was threatened. The pledges are Marilyn Halleck (sister of Shirley), Winamac; Sharon Kremp (sister of Shirley Kremp Wright), Washington; Jane La Rue (daughter of Ruth Ralston La Rue, Alpha), Indianapolis; Carolyn Blackburn and Valette Chelley, Indianapolis; Margaret Boldon, South Bend; Ruth Dry, Michigan City; Barbara Dutton, Kokomo; Patricia Fagley, Lawrenceburg; Jan Froeb, Terre Haute; Nancy Hyatt, Martinsville; Meegan Jones, Chicago, Illinois; Doris Kremp, Jasper; Shirley Lyons, Jackson, Michigan; Suzanne Soenksen, Harvey, Illinois; and Rosalyn Watson, Vincennes. The sixteen pledges were honored at their first luncheon in the chapter house. An open house followed, with the group of smiling girls flooded by introductions and congratulations from the many guests.

Mrs Ruth Gates, Rush, adviser was a great help throughout rush week and to her we are most grateful.

Due to February graduation of Nancylee Smith, president, we had election of officers before the change of semesters. New officers are Jean Gordon, president; Joan Reis, vice-president; and Barbara Drollinger, rush chairman.

Beta has added another scholastic feather to its cap. For fall semester, Theta once again had the top scholastic rating at Indiana University: 1.904, 2.000 being a "B" average. This being the third consecutive semester Theta has captured this honor, it will keep the tall shiny scholastic cup.

February 26, these nine pledges were initiated, Joyce Baker, Catharin Briscoe, Deborah Dorman, Carolyn Hauser, Jeannine McCowan, Janis Robinson, Janet Smith, Harriet Stafford, and Joan Walker.

We are making plans for our pledge dance, rush week-end, parents' week-end, and other social affairs. It is certain that we never can worry about not having enough to do.

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Married: Louise Mauzy to Frank Remy, RR 3, Syracuse, Ind.—Dorothy Smith to James R. Wiley, Shady Ridge, W. Lafayette, Ind.—Helen Persise to O. H. Roberson, Salem, Ind.—Joan Hodson to William Komlos, 46 Downing st. New York, N.Y.—Jean Bruce Horne to Jack D. Jester, 4615 S. Hanna st. Fort Wayne, Ind.

Born: To Mr and Mrs N. E. Funk Jr. (Virginia Brown) a daughter, Virginia Brown, Dec. 26, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs W. G. Watson Jr. (Marjorie Wills) a son, William Gerard III, Jan. 1, 23 Oak dr. Poland, O.—To Mr and Mrs J. F. Thompson (Carolyn Weir) a son, Eric J., July 25, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs R. M. Campbell (Louise Wylie) Anne Carlisle, May 20, 1946, and Alan Craig, Oct. 21, 1949, 60 Rockledge rd. Bronxville, N.Y.

Iowa (Beta Omicron)

Four pledges were added to our roster following a week of informal rushing in February. The chapter is proud of this quartet: Patty Bergland, Boone; Patricia Doerschlen, Kirkwood, Missouri; Marilyn Jensen, Cedar Rapids, and Dottie Lauer, Oelwein.

Thirteen other pledges exchanged their pledge pins for kites March 5: the thirteen are Patti Clark, Jo Ann Beau, Mary Ann Egert, Jo Ann Gustafson, Mary Ellen Martin, Nancy Hall, Sally Irish, Joyce Howe, Peggee Lutz, Sharon Kriens, Virginia Justman, Donna Reid, Ann Meloy, and Marilyn Mona.

Four Thetas starred in the all-campus musical show, *Kapus Kapers*: Bobbie Bender, Casey Covert, Lorna Elliot, and Sharon Kriens.

Beta Omicron also cheered the choice of the university's ROTC as they named Marge Campbell, Honorary Cadet Colonel at the annual Military ball February 17. Marge, a vivacious senior, is also a member of Mortar board and president of Orientation council.

Present plans for second semester include the annual University Sing contest, Theta spring formal, exchanges and intramural activities.

1 March 1950

B. J. MILLER

Married: Jeanette Heaberlin to Con Hamborg, Alpha Tau Omega, Feb. 17.—Jackie Berguin to Jerry Jewett, Sigma Nu, Mar. 11.—Carrie Jane Levins to Robert W. Anderson, Oct. 9, 1949, Box 25, Farwell, Tex.—Alberta Joslyn to Reeves Hall, Independence, Ia.

Iowa State (Gamma Pi)

O! man winter really tried to snow Ames under this quarter. Taking advantage of it, Gamma Pi gave a toboggan party, followed by a spaghetti dinner and sock dance at the "Theta Chalet," alias chapter house.

Along with fun, winter brought a crown to pledge Barbara Krueger, who was elected queen of the all-college Winter sports carnival.

February 12 Gamma Pi gained four new actives: Joan Ary, Joyce Bellumoini, Delores Luethje, and Lee McFarland.

At Iowa State college, winter quarter means the beginning of work for *Veishea*, largest student-managed festival in the world. Jean Barkley, Nancy Dinges, Marjorie Larimer and Patricia Forsyth hold major offices for *Veishea*. Two Thetas were chosen to serve on *Veishea* Central committee: Nancy Wilson and Joan Pletch.

Joan recently was chosen "Woman of the week" by the *Iowa State Daily*, newspaper, in recognition of her scholarship and activities. Her newest activity is that of treasurer of *Green Gander*, humor magazines. Also on this staff are Nancy Huffman, assistant art editor, and Joan Ary, secretary.

Patricia Forsyth and Mary Margaret Leibov have taken part in two dramatic productions. Mary Margaret, Nancy Brunn, Marjorie Larimer and Dorothy Creelman appeared in *Barjche*, program presented by the modern dance club. Dorothy Creelman, journalism major, was chosen assistant women's editor of *Iowa State Daily*. She also was appointed to the *College Board*, sponsored by *Mademoiselle* magazine.

To top the events of the quarter, a gift, the fraternity's Greek letters made of wrought iron, was given to the chapter.

1 March 1950

MARGARET PIAGGI

Married: Janet Welch to Chris Krauskoff, 6119-5 Woodam st. Chicago 37, Ill.

Kansas (Kappa)

February 6 our pledge class was increased by the addition of Joanne Goodjohn, Leavenworth, and Joan Brock, Wichita. They boost the class to twenty-two.

A buffet supper for members of the Lawrence Panhellenic organization was given at the chapter house in honor of our District president, Mrs Fergus, on January 8. Mrs Fergus was with us for several days making suggestions in conferences with chapter officers.

We celebrated Founders'-day with a buffet supper for the chapter and Lawrence alumnae club. A humorous skit, satirizing the founding of Theta, and group singing were the entertainment.

Nancy Anderson, sophomore, was chosen

queen of the Military ball December 9. Edith Malott was elected to Mortar board. Joyce Emick and Barbara Comstock, freshmen, have been pledged to Tau Sigma, modern dancing group. Theta has a new member in Quack club, swimming organization, Mary Ann Clardy, sophomore. Georgette Spears, junior, Norma Jean Guthrie, senior, and Erma Lutz, freshman, were chosen for roles in *College Daze*, annual all-student musical production.

26 February 1950

DOLORES DEAN

Married: Sue Stotts to Bernard Roth, 1754 Burton st. San Diego 11, Cal.

Born: To Mr and Mrs R. A. Beeler (Juliette Williams) a daughter, Nancy, Jan. 12, Jewell, Kan.

Kentucky (Gamma Iota)

The selection of the *Kentuckian* Beauty Queen and her court is one of the year's highlights. This year, among six girls chosen as finalists were three Thetas: Carolyn Critchlow is first attendant, Cora Frances Saffel is second attendant, and Louisa Wilson is attendant to the Queen.

Thetas have continued to serve as sponsors for monthly dances at the Veterans hospital. This has been one of Gamma Iota's most rewarding projects.

Friday, January 13 found Thetas giving their annual winter formal with no misgivings concerning the date. The theme was "Winter Wonderland," carried out by turning the dance floor into an ice-skating arena that had a large white ice skate in the center.

Founders'-day was celebrated January 21 at the chapter house. Mrs Bingham, District president, also visited us in January. Individual and group conferences with Mrs Bingham have proved to be helpful in striving for a stronger chapter in 1950.

Initiation was in February for Anndavis Bohon, Nancy Brown, Julia Blood, Mary Jo Chase, Mary Crafton, Clara Early, Katherine Hall, Henrietta Hill, Marjorie King, Barbara Kline, Zoe Parker, Virginia Stevens, Ramona Tackett, Margaret Toms, Billie Turner, Mary Strode, Joyce Reynolds, Dorothy Wood, Mary Ann Rice, Betty White, and Louisa Wilson. Mary Jo Chase received the jewel badge for the highest scholastic standing in the pledge class.

Previous to initiation Gamma Iota pledged Virginia Todd from Ft. Meade, Maryland.

Theta alumnæ have been especially active this winter. In addition to having matching bedspreads and curtains made for the chapter house, they sponsored a movie, one of the first "talkies." The proceeds will be used for additions to the house.

The Mardi Gras dance was the latest event on campus. Rex, professor of the year, and his Queen reign over this dance. Harriett Russell represented Theta in the court.

28 February 1950

BETTY GARST

Born: To Mr and Mrs W. G. Smith jr. (Mary Jane Dorsey) a son, William Dorsey, Oct. 27, 1949, 511 W. Main st. Carmel, Ill.

Lawrence (Alpha Psi)

With the help of an outstanding pledge class and enthusiastic members last semester was a most enjoyable one for Alpha Psi.

We proudly walked off with first place trophy for the Kappa Alpha Theta Home-coming float. Pledges had complete charge of the project, presenting a chorus line number executed on an elaborately trimmed float. The slogan: "Our guarders have plenty of snap."

Early in November Pi Beta Phis challenged Thetas to a touch football game. Both teams drilled diligently for two weeks under the coaching of a Lawrence gridiron figure. It was a fight to the finish—the score 2-2. Following this battle we had an open house in honor of Mrs Brandriff, District president, who was paying us a brief visit.

Cold weather did not stop our pre-Christmas serenade under the direction of Jean Bunks, with a solo by Ginny Altis. We were thrilled when one of the fraternities played back a recording they made of our voices during the serenade.

Alpha Psi adopted a "family" this Christmas, and presented them with food, clothing, and toys. We also contributed to a fund which provided one of our exchange students with a holiday visit in New York with his brother.

Complete with Bowery atmosphere, flapper day costumes, the charleston, and entertainment, we presented our traditional Bowery Rushing party as a date affair.

Pledge Cynthia Ferber was elected freshman representative to Student executive council. Shirley Hanson, Jean Bunks, Ginny Altis, Gretchen Wilterding, Marty Benton, and Sue

Bartels will tour Milwaukee and Chicago with the A Cappella choir. Barbara Morris is Intramural Sports manager. Marijean Meisner is co-chairman of Aqua Fin club.

1 February 1950

MARIJEAN MEISNER

Married: Jean Pond to John E. Dever, Box 37, Storrs, Conn.—Jean Koffend to Richard A. Bush, 603 Freeborn av. Albert Lea, Minn.—Mary Koffend to Martin H. Bridges, 813 Glendale av. Glenview, Ill.—Elizabeth Clemons to O. F. von Schrader, 2005 Washington av. Racine, Wis.

New address: Nancy Wall Spindler (Mrs B. B.) 3219 Sawtelle blvd. Apt. 3, Los Angeles 34, Cal.

Born: To Mr and Mrs C. J. West Jr. (Betty Moore) a daughter, Elisabeth Lee, Aug. 18, 1949. 214 S. Rankin st. Appleton, Wis.

McGill (Beta Psi)

No letter received

14 March 1950

Maryland (Gamma Mu)

No letter received

14 March 1950

Massachusetts (Gamma Eta)

No letter received

14 March 1950

Michigan (Eta)

No letter received

14 March 1950

Married: Sybil Shallenberger to Walter B. Frehofer, 326 Union av. N.E. Grand Rapids, Mich.

Michigan State (Beta Pi)

Excitement reigned over the Chapter house February 25 when Betty Patrick was elected by Blue Key, Junior and Senior men's honorary, as its Sweetheart for the Blue Key Sweetheart ball.

Mary Stewart was initiated into Phi Kappa Phi, last term. We are all proud of Mary, who also did an excellent job as first woman editor of *Sparta* humor magazine.

There are two happy new Thetas in our chapter now. Donna Fortier and Pat Stadler were initiated January 22.

Among other activities during Farmers' Week was a horse show. Mary Lou Straith placed third in the horse fitting and showing contest; while Mary Lois Cole took a first place ribbon in the Panhellenic division of the horse performance contest.

Decorations for the 1950 J-Hop were darling. They carried out a Heart to Heart theme.

Marilyn Smith was co-chairman of the decorations committee, and Joyce Dart, chairman of finances.

February was a big month for Mary Lou Straith. First came her honors in the horse show. Later she was elected president of our chapter; and she was initiated into Tau Sigma, science and arts group.

One of the highest honors to be bestowed upon a group, was bestowed upon our chapter Winter term. We were presented with the Panhellenic scholarship award. Our average was almost a "B" for every girl in the chapter.

Gloria Patton did an excellent job in giving an interpretive reading of *The King's Henchmen*, last term in the College little theatre. Sally Hameline, pledge, was cast as one of the leads in *Heartbreak House*, a Studio Theatre production.

1 February 1950

JANET PATTON

Married: Peggy Fox to Mr B. J. Schimpke, 303 Concord av. Belmont 78, Mass.—Margaret Wheeler to Roger Korten, 7417 2d av. Detroit, Mich.—Sally Platt to James Bibbins, 219 S. Woodlawn st. Lima, O.—Barbara Glass to William Cosgrove, June 25, 1949, 11 Farrand st. Highland Park, Mich.

Born: To Mr and Mrs D. L. Kline (Pat Fisher) a son, Kenneth Wilson, Jan. 21, 1114 Grant st. Evanston, Ill.

Minnesota (Upsilon)

We began winter quarter with Founders'-day banquet at the Curtis hotel January 27. Mrs Marjorie Husted (radio's Betty Crocker) spoke about the future of women in the business world. Mrs Mitchell presented plans for our new chapter house to be built this year.

The scholarship dinner, to honor students with high averages, was January 30. Mrs Erickson, president of our Mothers' club, presented silver compacts adorned with Theta crest to a girl in each class who achieved the greatest improvement in scholarship. Mary Ann Olson received the award in the senior class, Sue Spurzum in the junior class, and Patty McConville in the sophomore class. A jeweled badge was awarded to Connie Dyregrove, for the highest cumulative average. Bess Gene Gillespie was honored, for having the highest pledge average.

A highlight of January was the visit by Mrs Schmid, District president, to the chapter house and at the Founders'-day celebration.

Winter social festivities were climaxed by a

Kappa Alpha Theta-Alpha Phi snow party which featured skiing, tobogganning, dinner dancing and entertainment. It was February 25 at the Westwood Hills Golf club. It was one of the most successful parties ever given!

Thetas became acquainted with members of the university teaching staff at a faculty dinner February 27. Guests, as well as members, enjoyed participating in charades after dinner.

Winter quarter we pledged Patty Faucett (sister of Nancy, and daughter of Virginia Brown Faucett), Jemima Madsen Madsen (daughter of Jemima Walters Madsen), Minneapolis; Moira Delaney, Mary Jordan, and Marilyn Mork, St. Paul.

January 21, we initiated—Helen and Ruth Berkman, Jane Brockway, Geraldine Carlson, Janet Dillan, Cora Gerhauser, Bess Gene Gillespie, Patricia Gillespie, Helen Mills, Patricia McGee, Maxey Swanson, Mary Lou Tuttle, and Nancy Wilson.

6 March 1950

JOAN ERICKSON

Missouri (Alpha Mu)

Good news came February 18, after weeks of hard work and three nights of performances, when C. J. Cherry received the gold cup signifying Kappa Alpha Theta's winning first place in Savitar Frolics. What could be more exciting—well—Sharon O'Hara was awarded the cup for "the best individual performance." The theme was a musical, *Missouri success course*, a burlesque of Queen contests.

Founders'-day banquet brought these awards: most outstanding senior C. J. Cherry, outstanding freshman pledge Pat Kilpatrick, best upperclass pledge Ada Fletcher and highest pledge scholarship Pat Fuson. Mrs Bedford made the awards with one of her humorous but thought-provoking speeches. Entertainment was provided by the 1949 pledge class, which had five minutes to prepare its stunt and costumes. Afterwards the dates they most desired, were waiting to take them out, as arranged by their pledge mothers.

Excitement is running high over National convention. Jane Duff, Lucy Yantes, Lynn Jones and Betty Cochran are making a three-week trip to include a stop-over at convention.

Pledged March 3 was Joan Winn, Jefferson City; and Barbara Hanson, California.

1 March 1950

CAROL HOYT

Married: Nathalie Claiborne Barker to James Howard Baldwin, Bel Air apts. Manila, P.I.

Born: To Mr and Mrs E. C. Murck (Mary Aiton) a daughter, Nancy Caroline, Apr. 7, 2736 Puuhonua st. Honolulu, T.H.—To Mr and Mrs G. L. Kimberley (Patricia Devine) a son, George Michael, Dec. 14, 1949. His sister, Sarah Anne, was born Aug. 8, 1948, Collins, Ia.

Montana (Alpha Nu)

It's cold outside! With 20 below zero weather we have been busy in self-defense . . . to keep warm. In this weather it's nice to think back to fall quarter when we challenged our neighbor, Sigma Nu, to a touch football game and with our house boys for playing referees, we slaughtered them, 47 to 17.

Sheet draped Sigma Chi drifted in to haunt us Halloween for the ghost of Carri, their dead cook. They presented us with a lovely door knocker in case poor dead Carri should ever find all 32 of us too much for him.

We do enjoy Gudren Pehrning, our Swedish exchange student. At present she is teaching us some Swedish student songs, while in return we are teaching her how to act in the wild and wooly west.

Our fall function, a Christmas party, was really a gay one. Dates all helped to decorate the tree and even Old St. Nick came. The front door was wrapped with ribbon to look like a package . . . 'twas a festive occasion indeed.

Beginning the new quarter came winter rush with cozy parties by a roaring fire. We pledged Elizabeth Hart, Glasgow; Marilyn Cartwright and Pat Snyder, Helena; and Shirley Baker, Billings.

The middle of January 20 we initiated Rosemary Anderson, Dale Bardy, Mary Lou Douglas, Kay Hager, Janice Hays, Beverly Henne, Evelyn Herbig, Caroline Honey, Billie Johnston, Marilyn Kintner, Helen Law, Mary Maurer, Pinky McCallie, Estelle McFarland, Mary McGree, Joan McMahon, Marilyn Nichol, Pat O'Grady, Alice Joan Stewart, and Mary Joan Tasher.

Marcia Fahey and Edna Geary were initiated into Psi Chi. Bev Burgess is head of the Miss Montana committee.

3 February 1950

DONNA PERSONS

Married: Shirley Rohem to William M. Scott, 1700 Third av. N. Great Falls, Mont.—Helen Rae to James Adams, 645 N. Ewing st. Helena, Mont.—

Dorothy Russell to Carl Zur Muehlen, 1439 Lewis st. Helena, Mont.—Frances Donaher to Fred Sanborn.

Nebraska (Rho)

We were privileged to have as our guest Mrs Schmid, District president. She visited us, January 9-11, and gave us many helpful suggestions and much information concerning our district and its chapters.

February 4 a Founders'-day ceremony was held at the house. Alumnae prepared dinner for the chapter, which was followed by the effective candle-lighting ceremony conducted by Mrs Minnie Latta Ladd. We were especially fortunate in having Mrs Ladd, as she is one of the four original founders of Rho. While Mrs Stebbins played the piano and we sat and sang songs, the box for the pennies contribution to the National Friendship fund was passed.

Black Kat Kabaret, our annual winter formal, was February 3, sponsored by the chapter, under the able leadership of Margaret Knapple and Ann Augustine.

Pledges were presented formally at intermission time. February 14 was not only Valentine's day, but also the day we proudly pledged a Theta cousin, Charlotte Detwiler of York, Pennsylvania.

It was pledges' turn to enter wholeheartedly into a campus activity, the Penny carnival, February 18. Sponsored by Coed counselors, each chapter enters a booth and show which runs with gala spirit throughout the afternoon. Nancy Noble, advisor, and Mary Jean Neely, the pledge director, helped make Theta's booth a success.

Coed Follies, sponsored by All women students organization, was February 27. Each act was put on by a different women's group. We were more than excited when the Theta act, *Perils of Pauline*, headed by Nancy Miller, won second place. A style show culminated in the presentation of the Typical Nebraska Coed, for which Jackie Hoss and Sue Pryor were finalists.

February 4 was the Intrafraternity ball sponsored by all fraternities. We were proud that Joan Noble was one of the finalists for the Ball Queen.

We were equally proud when Pat Gaddis was announced as one of twelve calendar girls, a contest sponsored by Nebraska builders.

27 February 1950

DOROTHY MAXWELL

New Addresses: Patty Holmes Beal (Mrs D. W.) 933 Bush st. Santa Rosa, Cal.—Mrs Martha Deweese Ivaldy, 1727 Pepper, Lincoln, Neb.

Married: Bette Evans to Alan B. Kidd, 3215 Summit st. Kansas City 2, Mo.—Mary Waring to Mr Bue, 444 Prospect st. Elmhurst, Ill.

Nevada (Beta Mu)

A big event of the year, for campus, is Ski Carnival. Nine universities participated this year, including Nevada, and everyone from all the campuses had a good time. The Carnival started off Friday with Ski events on Mt. Rose. That night all Panhellenic chapters had open house. Along with open houses, went house decorations to be judged by town people. Usually a hospitality cup has been given also, but since every year the Ski Carnival idea has been celebrated, Theta has won, they decided not to give us the cup again this year, just didn't have one given. Saturday the Carnival continued with more Ski events on "the hill." Many Thetas participated in these meets: not as racers, but as gate keepers, recorders, and lunch distributors. Saturday evening came the "Snow Ball." Lots of fun and many new acquaintances made. Sunday the final part of the meet was held, and finished up with the jumping event, which was really exciting. The revolving trophy was presented to University of California which won the most points.

Initiation was February 27 for Marlyn Byrd, Marion Howe, Beverly Jones, Sharon McPartland, Gloria Martelle, Marla Mason, Carol Oldham, Mary Margaret Smith, Jean Wilton. The banquet that followed was formal, celebrating both initiation and Founders'-day. Many alumnae were present. Mrs Atkinson gave a heart warming talk on how Nevada's chapter of Kappa Alpha Theta started, which was even more interesting because she was one of the charter members.

Early in January we were honored by the visit of Mrs Lively, District president. It was lovely having her as guest, for she always helps us with our problems. The only disappointment was that she had to leave a day and a half early, because a storm was threatening, and Mrs Lively felt she had better leave before getting snowed in.

To honor the Fulstone Twins, we had a celebration for the whole campus. The affair was in the gym, where dancing was enjoyed. Cookies

and punch were served to a large crowd of college students, and one of the College Deans introduced the girls. It was lots of fun, and the Twins really had a chance to thank all their fellow students for the work done in helping them win the contest.

Theta's had a social with Alpha Tau Omega several weeks ago. Such interfraternity socials are given annually, and help new boys and girls get acquainted.

Besides the "Toni Twins" and "Miss Nevada," Beta Mu also has another celebrity. This is "Miss Reno," by name Nancy Hecker. Nancy is a junior, majoring in Psychology. She received her title from the Bonanza Air lines president, who dubbed her "Miss Reno" at a celebration at the State House, where Governor Pitman was present. Nancy then accompanied the Bonanza Air line officials to Phoenix, Arizona, over the new route the company was opening. In Phoenix, the plane was met by the Governor of Arizona, and Miss America, an Arizona girl. Through this Air line, Reno and Arizona will be more closely connected. The group stopped in Las Vegas on their way home.

ALICE ARENTZ

Married: Molly Blair to Edward Fitzgibbon, RR 6, Box 55, Salem, Ore.—Bertine Ann Heher to William Gillis, 644 Wheeler av. Reno, Nev.—Virginia Auchampaugh to John Moseley, Dec. 19, 1948, 951 Hamilton av. Palo Alto, Cal.—Lois Post to Scott Osborn, Feb. 25.—Shirley McDonough to Robert LeGoy, Feb. 18, 342 E. 9th st. Reno, Nev.

Born: To Mr and Mrs C. W. Kunz Jr. (Mary May Paschall) a daughter, Mary Douglass, Oct. 21, 1949, 411 Ivanhoe st. Denver 7, Col.—To Mr and Mrs John Foster (Mary Lee Scott) a daughter, Peggy Ann, Feb. 13.—To Mr and Mrs J. P. Lee (Patricia Crandell) a daughter, Melinda in Feb.—To Mr and Mrs Peter Smith (Virginia Casey) a daughter in Feb.—To Mr and Mrs Ira Gunn (Gloria Day) a daughter, Feb. 24.

Newcomb (Alpha Phi)

Alpha Phi chapter has many activities. Founders'-day banquet was at the New Orleans Country club, where everyone had a marvelous time. The pledges entertained with a skit on *Flicker Flashbacks* which was darling. The chapter skit presented a Theta from each section of the country (all Alpha Phis, though), who criticized each other then joined in Theta sisterhood. It was all in verse and written by new initiate, Marguerite Lamkin.

The pledges gave us an informal supper recently. They had a cute skit and party—as always. A talented bunch, those pledges!

Our annual formal will be on St. Patrick's day at the country club. We will have a cocktail party before at a member's home and a breakfast after.

Alpha Phi announces the initiation March 26, of Betty Jean Adams, Barbara Barlette, Marcia Davis, Jeanne Devron, Dianne Dixey, Jane Dowrick, Judy Fowler, Jane Leach, Belle O'Neil, and Kay Russell. Incidentally, we can boast of the largest number of girls to be initiated this term by any Panhellenic group at Newcomb.

28 February 1950

PHALLIE EVANS

New Mexico (Gamma Omicron)

At Christmas the chapter was honor guest at a big breakfast prepared by its able pledges. Gifts were exchanged by pledge mothers and daughters.

In November, Gamma Omicron's Mothers club was formed. December 6 the club gave the chapter a dinner and presented us with a beautiful, blonde cased Magnavox.

We were honored by a visit from our District president, Mrs Buchanan.

March 12 was the happy day, when twenty-two pledges were initiated. They are: Vera Snyder, Monica Murphy, Barbara Goss, Theresa Wagner, Virginia Hoffman, Martha Jackson, Ilse Jenkins, Allyn Davis, Nancy Norris, Shelby Jersig, Alice Lind, Sally Cook, Nancy Rhodes, Beverly Andrews, Lois Cox, Mary Ann Mitchell, Pat Ainsworth, Edith Ann Foster, Karla Banta, Pat Galbreath, Sarah Shockley, and Jerome Biddle. Immediately following the alumnae chapter gave us a marvelous dinner party.

Second semester rush we pledged, Jackie Quinn, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma; Betty Lu Garner, Webster Groves, Missouri; Anne Peterson, South Pasadena, California; Marion Hutchinson, Houston, Texas.

Barbara Wykes was elected to Phi Kappa Phi. She is Mortar board's chairman for its Stunt night. Gypsy Jo Bennett placed on Phi Kappa Phi Honor Roll, and Monica Murphy on General college Honor Roll.

Our Founders' day banquet was March 15 at Franciscan hotel. Alice Lind and Nancy Rhodes received gold Gamma Omicron guards as

pledges with the most improvement in grades; Jerome Biddle received the Jay Van Solen Scholarship cup and a pearl guard, as pledge with highest grades. Gypsy Jo Bennett and Carolyn Koch tied for the honor of member with highest grades, each being presented with badge guards and to share the scholarship cup. Gypsy Jo also received the gold scroll guard as member with the most improvement in grades.

Marge Noble and Vera Snyder are on the Dorm D house council. Lois Cox, freshman class president, is the first woman to hold a class president's office at this university. Sally Cook and Ilse Jenkins have dancing roles in the student production of *Peer Gynt*. Carolyn Koch made Phi Gamma Mu.

Our annual spring Formal was at the Hilton hotel February 25, following a gala open house for the chapter. It was at the beautiful new home of Mr and Mrs R. I. Koch. The traditional triad of Kappa Kappa Gamma, Pi Beta Phi, and Kappa Alpha Theta was April 15.

Bette De Witt, our former chapter president and Wendy Marshall, former president of Beta Delta, honored us with visits. Julie Ann Dorr and Jay Pettitt are both back this semester.

28 February 1950

GYPSY JO BENNETT

Married: Louise Boyd to Bud Adams, Nov. 20, 1949.—Mary Ruth Clift to Noble Terrell, Kappa Sigma, Dec. 25, 1949.—Barbara Haight to Glen Francis, Lambda Chi Alpha, Feb. 28.

North Dakota (Alpha Pi)

Our twenty pledges are taking a breather after writing their first final examinations. Connie Atwood, Pat Fahey, Dorothy Tweet, Pat Rickey, Grand Forks; Ione Anderson, Crookston, Minnesota; Helen Benson, Anna Peterson, Carol Magnusson, Bottineau; Joan Borsheim, Williston; Lois Burke, Henrietta Burfening, Fargo; Joan Lundy, Rochester, Minnesota; Barbara McGrath, Bemidji, Minnesota; Carol Appelquist, Pat Stewart, Jeanne Peterson, Devils Lake; Darliss Scidmore, Grafton; Marilyn Stephens, Oakmont, Pennsylvania; Shirley Swedeen, Rapid City, South Dakota; Marjorie Tufte, Leeds—these are the pledges!

New honors! Joan Oty and Joline Rhode were initiated into Sigma Epsilon Sigma, freshman Women's group. Joy Svoboda, to Pi Lambda Theta, education-group; Joline Rhode, Phi Chi Theta, women's commerce group;

Kathy Manion, Delores Stebleton, Phyllis Lufkin, Phi Upsilon Omicron, home economics group; Phyllis also is secretary-treasurer of sophomore class. Marlys Scott Orser was made an associate member of Sigma Xi.

The chapter gave its annual Christmas party at the chapter house, with town girls' mothers as guests. The exchanging of funny gifts by drawing names was modified. Instead of buying useless gifts for each other, the girls bought toys which were distributed later to children in city hospitals.

A recent additional activity is Winter Carnival, to be sponsored annually by Blue Key. It calls for snow sculpturing at each chapter house, and includes winter sport contests. In this climate we can't miss feeling wintery, if you'll pardon the expression.

Our newly redecorated house has a new accessory—a Christmas gift from Carolyn Zahl, now attending the University of Arizona. It's a Chinese styled hors d'oeuvres dish, which fits into its new environment beautifully.

2 February 1950

PHYLLIS LUFKIN

Married: Margaret Alphson to Trent Woods, Oct. 10, 1949.—Jean Wright to Fritz Snyder, Dec. 28, 1949.—Dolores Nelson to Robert Ellingson.—Mary Ann Pierson to Arnold Ginnow, 586 Holly av. St. Paul, Minn.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Leland Ulmer (Mary Jane Pierce) a son, Daniel Pierce, Jan. 17.—To Dr and Mrs W. V. King (Anne McGrath) a daughter, Jan. 24.

North Dakota State (Gamma Nu)

Our alert pledges took a look at our kitchen and decided it needed a face lifting. So, they collected paint brushes, paint and linoleum, and went to work! They are very artistic, or else just good painters.

Our Christmas party turned out to be profitable as well as enjoyable. Each of us gave our pledge daughter a gift; then each one also made a gift to the chapter house.

We had a "pot luck" exchange meal with Phi Mu, where much fun was had by all. We celebrated Founders'-day with a dessert at the chapter house, the college chapter girls being guests of Fargo alumnæ chapter. A showing of slides from the Logopedics institute proved good entertainment.

Two more fine pledges this term—Janice Bohn from Munick, and Carol Bush from Moorhead, Minnesota.

Petite, brown eyed Marion Paris was crowned Queen of Pershing rifle squad at the Military ball. She was also an attendant at the Jack Frost winter carnival.

Rosy Lohse has been busy as feature editor on *Specter*, college paper. As a regular assignment she had interviews with lyceum speakers, among whom were Burl Ives, Wayne King, Victor Borge, and Marian Anderson. For her fine work as an interviewer she has won promotion to the managing editorship of the paper.

We worked long and hard on two acts for the Bison Brevities. Eliminations last week, showed Theta the only Panhellenic or fraternity group to have both of its acts accepted. We are now working even harder, hoping to win first prize for one, or both, acts.

1 February 1950

MARGARET EININGER

Married: Jean Ruide to Lloyd C. Kraft, 65 N. Mason st. Battle Creek, Mich.—Patricia Sittauer to Dick Pushor.—Barbara Woodward to Don Macdowell.

Northwestern (Tau)

Canasta was the gay theme of the party pledges gave for the chapter January 20. With a sprightly joker, Robin McMurray, as Mistress of ceremonies, hidden talent was unmasked in the variety show. To high light the evening a King and Queen of Hearts were chosen from "the melding pot."

Thirty pledges became thirty initiates January 22. The new Kite wearers are Helen Arnold, Margaret Ayars, Carylyn Becker, Diana Bray, Jane Brennan, Patricia Carolan, Jean Converse, Nancy Danforth, Ann Donaldson, Ruth Eifrig, Patricia Freeman, Mary Goodwin, Louise Gray, Judith Holland, Sally Houston, Portia Hurd, Joan Keyes, Lucille Luers, Lolita Mainland, Ann McDorman, Robin McMurray, Barbara Melin, Marjorie Nelson, Mireille Schneider, Gail Sparks, Marjorie Teetor, Anne Templeton, Alice Tucker, Barbara Westrate, and Joan Wilson.

Tau chapter is particularly proud, for not only did every pledge make her grades, but the chapter as a whole has one of the highest standings of any organization on the Northwestern Campus! Virginia Fiske holds highest honors with a 3.8 average. Portia Hurd, Alice Tucker, and Louise Gray came in first among pledges, each with a 3.5 average.

Peggy Ayers was elected freshman representative to Student Governing board. Betty Tanner

is new vice-president of YWCA. Ramona Taylor is president of Zeta Phi Eta Speech school group of which Patte Preble is a new member. Nell Watson is president of Phi Sigma Iota, foreign language group. Virginia Fiske is secretary of the philosophy club. Joan Leichtfuss and Betty Eimers are newly elected members of Alpha Lambda Delta, freshman honorary. Joanne Sidner, Barbara Beard, and Louise Gray share honors on the College Fashion board of *Mademoiselle*.

Blue jeans, paint, and good old fashioned elbow grease are the main requirements for Tau's new philanthropy project at Lake Bluff Orphanage. With Nancy Walters in charge we are revamping a dismal, dark room in the basement into a bright new hobby room for the children.

From blue jeans to evening dresses! February 24 Thetas "went stepping" at their winter formal in the M & M club at the Merchandise Mart in Chicago.

Tau celebrated Founders'-day with a grand banquet at the Evanston Woman's club and was very pleased to have as guest of honor Mrs Robert McCutchum, Grand vice president.

2 March 1950

LOUISE GRAY

Married: Janice Warren to Warren Neil Eggleston, 102 E. Chestnut st. Chicago, Ill.—Louise Yates to Robert Burns, 815 Colebrook dr. Webster Groves 19, Mo.—Betty June Stuart to John Boyd Rodgers Jr. 1632 Central st. Evanston, Ill.

Ohio State (Alpha Gamma)

No letter received.

14 March 1950

Married: Barbara Hanna to John Pfeiffer, 2211 Howard st. Omaha, Neb.

Born: To Mr and Mrs O. W. Sharman Jr. (Judy Schulkers) a son, Oliver W. III, Feb. 22.

Ohio Wesleyan (Gamma deuteron)

A long and exciting semester of rushing ended. An outstanding pledge class is hailed with pride. Carol Elaine Anderson, Beaver Falls, Pennsylvania; Juanita Lee Bennett, Park Ridge, Illinois; Joan Elizabeth BeVier and Helen Henes, Wellington; Sally Christine Boysen, Lakewood; Barbara Brannan, Ruxton, Maryland; Marilyn Moselle Butler, Carol Ann Hodge and Maud Motz, Akron; Theresa Elizabeth Fitzgerald, Chevy Chase, Maryland; Dorothy Marie Frey, Rittman; Patricia Ann Hamman, Williamsport; Patricia Sue Hays, Lancaster; Mary Ellen Hoffhines, Warren; Dorothy

Jean Huff, Cuyahoga Falls; Nancy Kathryn Lydens, Sandusky; Mary Ann Mayer, Canton; Virginia Nobis, New Richmond; Natalie Marie Orth, Upper Arlington; Joy Patricia Pulver, Syracuse, New York; Nancy Ruth Rulketter, Detroit, Michigan; Sharlee Thomson Staten, Brentwood, Missouri; and Gwen Anne Turner, Fostoria.

We have three junior Phi Beta Kappas: Maurie Mead, Donna Eyssen, and Ruth Ice. The campus beauty queen, Ruth Ann Firing, has transferred to Northwestern and Cornelia Draves to Heidelberg, Germany but Cornelia will return to Ohio Wesleyan after a year's study abroad. Jane Ramano wins applause for the greatest dramatic production this year, *Joan of Lorraine* in which she carried the lead.

In activities we huffed and puffed and finally brought home the basketball cup. The scholarship record shows that Kappa Alpha Theta again made a 3.04 average of which we are proud. The big event, May 20, will be our Spring Formal!

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LOIS CHASE

Married: Phyllis Baker to Robert Bishop, 246 Niagara av. Apt. 8, Dayton, O.—Jean Monroe to Lee B. Stocker, 2005 Oak Hill av. Youngstown 7, O.

Born: To Mr and Mrs P. V. Wallace (Josephine O'Neal) a son, Richard Paul, Feb. 9, 12947 Braile st. Detroit 23, Mich.—To Mr and Mrs Richard Mansfield (Elizabeth Sanford) a son, Brian Clarke, Jan. 12.

Oklahoma (Alpha Omicron)

February 11 Alpha Omicron chapter and Beta Zeta chapter, meet at the Oklahoma Golf and Country club with Oklahoma City and Norman alumnae for Founders'-day banquet. Louise Crawford, Second Grand vice-president, was the main speaker for the occasion.

Long to be remembered was our "Theta weekend". This is our first "Theta weekend", but it was such a success that we plan to make it an annual event. The weekend started with a Kick-Off luncheon Saturday noon. After lunch everyone entered either a bridge or canasta contest. After these contests were over everyone went to a show, and then came back to our Big White house for a wonderful steak dinner. Saturday night, after dates, we had a spread to celebrate the birthday of our housemother "Wee Willie". Events for Sunday included a brunch, church, and a party that night for our dates.

Theta number, *Let's go native*, for Sooner Scandals, university talent show was one of the five Panhellenic numbers chosen for presentation March 3-4.

The highlight of second semester will of course be initiation for twenty-one pledges. Other activities include: Little Sister-daughter Week-end, a dinner for Theta sons and brothers, Faculty dessert, Mother's day Weekend, a part in the University Sing, Theta Spring Formal April 15, and Senior Dinner.

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Married: Blanche Cordell Hicks to Don Luis (Tamayoy Bartolini) de Monge Sebastian, 1126 Santa Barbara st. Santa Barbara, Cal.—Mary Lou Stewart to William J. Weir, 1509 N.W. 17th st. Oklahoma City, Okla.—Joan Johnston to William Yinger, 1913 Washington st. Great Bend, Kan.

Oklahoma State (Beta Zeta)

Headlines for March show Beta Zeta members working, studying, and capturing new honors. We are proud of the twenty pledges who made their grades and will be initiated on March 5. The pledge grade average was 3.1.

Margie Munger came home February 18 as the newly elected Sweetheart of Sigma Chi. She was presented a white cross of roses, their beautiful sweetheart cup, and the sweetheart pin by last year's Sweetheart of Sigma Chi, also a Theta, Ann Clark.

The night of February 12, saw sixty, freezing Thetas serenading fraternities and men's dormitories. We sang the ever popular *Remember*, and a new and beautiful Theta song, words by Joan Johnson *My best to you*.

Travelling to the Regional convention of the International relations club in Shreveport, Louisiana, March 2-5, will be Thetas Sally Emery, Jacki Ellis, Barbara Blakely, and the organization's national secretary, Helen Jayne Randolph.

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JACQUELINE ELLIS

Married: Jeannette Giltner to French G. Hoehn, Oct. 9, 1949.—Joan Rank to Donald J. Grace, Dec. 26, 1949.—Patricia Antrim to Arthur Neil Hill, Jan. 28.—Barbara Ellet to Frank Wray Rollow, Feb. 25.

Born: To Mr and Mrs A. L. Jensen (Margaret Thatcher) a son, Robert, July 12, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs David Hartley (Hazel Donart) a son, John Donart, Sept. 21, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs Nael Rogers (Jane Thatcher) a son, Warren Kieth, Nov. 11, 1949.—To Lt and Mrs E. C. Baker (Phyllis Trout) a son, Robert Gordon, Dec. 16, 1949.—To Mr and

Mrs M. S. Martin (Martha Lou Wilber) a daughter, Merry Susan, Dec. 25, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs R. P. Wilber (Maxine Hague) a daughter, Sally Gail, Dec. 27, 1949.—To Mr and Mrs W. Seal (Joan Vassar) a daughter, Oct. 21, 1949.

Oregon (Alpha Xi)

Alpha Xi chapter is bursting with pride! Barbara Stevenson was elected president of Associated women students. Barbara has done outstanding work since freshman year when she was elected secretary of the freshman class.

Alpha Xi also had cause to celebrate the night of February 20 which saw the installation of chapter officers for 1950-51.

The chapter was both honored and pleased to have an official visit from District president, Mary X. Plummer March 7-8.

To Sally Waller, past president, heartfelt thanks go for the excellent job she did to make this year one of our best.

Initiation was January 19 for Diane Bekins, Joan Elliot, Marilyn Hunt, Ann Stroeger, Geraldine Pearson, Nannette Silverthorne, Dewie Reed (daughter of Elizabeth Lively, Beta Epsilon), Ann Fenwick, Dolly Withington, Karin Sundeleaf, Carolyn Silva, Patricia Laney, Francis Gillmore, Lois Nathan, Nancy Scanlon, Deanne Smith, and Eleanor Johnston.

We regret that Muriel Craig, Colleen Bryan and Louise Baker did not return this term. We are happy to welcome back Jean Bell after an absence of one term. We are also pleased to have as new pledges Doris Purvine, Long Beach, California; Judy Fortner and Sally Lewis, Glendale, California; Delores Rich and Molly McWaters, Portland.

At Homecoming Kappa Alpha Theta and Sigma Alpha Epsilon decorated a float for the noise parade, which won second prize.

For the second consecutive year Kappa Alpha Theta and Theta Chi gave at Christmas a party for ten needy children. It was a huge success and fun for both hosts and guests.

Founders'-day was celebrated with Beta Epsilon chapter. This year they were our guests in Eugene at a breakfast.

An outstanding weekend this term was Dad's Weekend. Theta dads flocked to the campus. An excellent time was had by all.

The annual Oregon Valentine dance "Heart Hop" was at four chapter houses, of which the Theta house was one. Our house was laden

with tiny red hearts, red and white streamers, with an adorable ghost adorning the hall mirror, above which was written "Haunted Heart." At 11:00 the newly chosen "King of Hearts" was dunked in our front yard while throngs of enthusiasts looked on.

This year Theta won first prize for the best booth at WAA carnival. To our freshmen go all the laurels for sitting from 8 until 12 p.m. over tubs of water. The theme was "Dunk a Theta."

Campus honors: president of Gamma Alpha Chi, advertising group, Donna Mary Brennan; Collections chairman for March of Dimes, Jean Hoffman; Associate editor of *Oregana*, year book, Barbara Stevenson; Rally girl, Delores Rich; Chairman of housing for women during "Preview Weekend," Georgie Oberteuffer.

Patricia Laney was chosen "Sweetheart of Sigma Chi". Pi Kappa Alpha "Moonlight Girl" finalists were Molly Muntzel and Dolly Withington. Judy Bailey is one of the finalists for "Little Colonel," who with her court will reign at the annual military ball.

The Theta chapter dance was given by freshmen in honor of graduating seniors, February 26. The theme was *U.S.S. Feline*—a pleasure ship. A gang plank was used for entrance and the blue interior with portholes and all the trimmings made it a Bon Voyage for all.

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NAN GAVENEY

Oregon State (Beta Epsilon)

Hurrah! Beta Epsilon proudly carried home the intramural swimming trophy for the second consecutive year.

The Beavers are going to swap their gollashes for snow shoes if we have many more winters like this one. We floundered around in snow until the day of our ski dance. Ironically, that day the sun shone, birds sang, and every trace of snow vanished!

Winter term nickel hops (the men travel from house to house, where each one pays a nickel to dance with the lady of his choice for three records) was unusual this year. Thetas took one look at their newly sanded floors and another at the men's wet shoes. Prompt action was taken, and the men's shoes were checked with their coats at the door.

Wearing Theta kites for the first time are: Jean Alford, Betty Crow, Audrey Daum, Glenda Fields, Nancy Halladay, Patricia Higgins,

Zanweise Hubbard, Charlotte Jones, Marlene Little, Donna McDaniel, Marilyn Ottis, Janet Ruggles, Virginia Morton, Sue Skaar, Carolyn Sparks, Bonne TenEyke, and Jeanne Webb.

We point with pride to new pledges, Lorie Hermanson, Barbara Smith, Portland; Carol Lee Thompkin, Hawaii; and Helen Wrolstadt, Hubbard.

Scripts and grease paint are the primary concerns of Mary Louise Gilfillan and Sue Skaar who star in *The Bat*, and of Donna Christopherson who holds the lead in *Androcles and the lion*.

Our faculty dinner was a huge success, as was our annual Mortar board dinner.

Pledge Sandra Plass was a finalist for Sweetheart of Sigma Chi. Donna Christopherson is one of the final five candidates for Junior Prom Queen.

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ROBERTA DAVIS

Married: Doris Pitblado to Herbert Borsting, 1638 S.E., Knight st. Portland 2, Ore.—Dolores Samuelson to Duane Medhus, RR 4, Box 122, Corvallis, Ore.

Pennsylvania (Beta Eta)

In January, we welcomed Lois Stevenson as our newest pledge. While on the subject of pledges, Barbara Jones will represent the University of Pennsylvania on the National College board of *Mademoiselle* magazine.

We have received two beautiful gifts from alumnae as contribution to our redecorating scheme. Germantown alumnae club presented us with a handsome, leather tooled coffee table for the living room. Philadelphia alumnae chapter filled just the right spot in the same room with the most comfortable and smart looking green chair.

February 11 we celebrated Founders'-day with a tea at the Theta house. All were amazed and delighted to see such an enthusiastic turnout of alumnae from chapters in various parts of the country as well as from Philadelphia.

Phi Sigma Kappa gave us a most enjoyable tea dance one Sunday afternoon. With anticipation we are looking forward to the Theta Formal March 24. March 26 will be a memorable day on the calendar, initiation of ten pledges. Deborah Bradley, Sally Green, Janet Harper, Helen Hogg, Joan Howarth, Barbara Jones, Marilyn McClintock, Constance Norris, Dawn Spencer, and Lois Stevenson.

At Theta's National convention Marnie Lesig will be our delegate, with Warren Shafer, alternate delegate. Several more of us also look forward to this week of new Theta friendships.

Ann Farquhar as president of Bowling Green, Women's dramatic society, is preparing an elaborate May Day production. Ann is also vice-president of the Senior class, Theta's vice-president and Pledge trainer and a member of Senior class council. She helped the senior class win the Pele Mele Nite award where her poster received first prize. Patricia Farrell wrote and directed the Senior class Skit, and is a member of Senior Class council. Althea Cooney has carried out successfully the all encompassing position, President of Bennett club, the university's Women's club. Thetas on her executive board are Karen Lundegaard, Warren Shafer, Joan Keilholtz, Joan Mattox, Barbara Acomb and Virginia Matzke. Arden Bennett, chapter president is Business manager of *Dolphin*, Women's yearbook.

27 February 1950 PATRICIA A. FARRELL

Married: Virginia Diehl to Donald Sillers, Jr. 5523 Druid Lane, Dallas, Tex.—Barbara Crouch to Rowland Day Chapman, 3485 Main Hgwy. Coconut Grove, Fla.

New Address: Elizabeth Huber Miller (Mrs J. W. H.) 1707 Aberdeen rd. Apt. 6, Towson 4, Md.

Pennsylvania State (Beta Phi)

The first weekend of the new semester started two weeks of formal rushing. Freshman women, admitted last fall then became eligible to join fraternities. We are happy to have nine wonderful pledges. Janice Berg, Philadelphia; Mary Evelyn Foucart, Lewistown; and Joyce Kempf, and Janet Herd, Merion; Susan Knapp, North Hills; Jeanne Reist, State College; Nixon Taylor, Mt. Lebanon; Margaret Uncapher, Vandergrift; and Marion Whitely, Williamsport.

After pledging February 26 we all went down to the local campus hangout and along with many other groups showed off our pledges and sang congratulations to each other.

March 5 saw the addition of fourteen initiates: Barbara Culley, Joan Dobson, Norma Lou Fetty, Joyce Harkins Joanne Henry, Doris Jean Keller, Patricia Luckett, Judy Norton, Margaret Roberts, Sara Sechler, Sara Shoemaker, Barbara Waska, Joan Wiley, and Marilyn Wilson.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon, for the second year, invited our chapter to help entertain the college faculty at reception. The formal affair was March 1 at the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity house, where we acted as hostesses for the faculty.

We have been busy entertaining and being entertained by fraternities. Before Christmas Sigma Pi, the Sigma Chi and the Sigma Alpha Epsilons respectively invited us to their chapter houses for dinner. In January we joined hands with Kappa Sigma in a roller-skating party. We also did our share. Our parties started with Beta Theta Pi, for whom we had a Li'l Abner-Daisy Mae party where everyone got into the spirit of the thing with costumes and a little skit put on by Thetas. For Phi Delta Theta we had a Down South party which the boys seemed to enjoy—especially the can-can dance.

1 March 1950

SUE MINGINS

Married: Elaine Miller to David H. Young, 43 Lawndale st. Springfield, Mass.—Barbara Welles Turner to William Brooks, 3625 6th st. S. St. Petersburg, Fla.—Barbara Lewis to William P. Heising, 610 W. 116th st. New York 27, N.Y.

Pittsburgh (Alpha Omega)

A whole semester of informal rushing came to a climax at the chapter house serenade for ten attractive new pledges. All the long sessions spent planning and producing our *Bar @ Ranch* and *Winter Wonderland* parties, and all the nail chewing between parties and pledge night were forgotten, in the wonderful realization that we have filled our quota to its maximum. Pledges are: Pegge Walleck, Peggy Ann Cohen, Margaret Schietinger, Joan Hartzell, Mary Ann Potter, Molly Purdy, Nancy Hendry, Elaine Pavlik, all of Pittsburgh; and Sue Jackson, of Philadelphia; Inger Rasmussen, exchange student from Oslo, Norway.

Thrilled to participate actively in the celebration were Barbara Dunn and Pat Stone, our new initiates.

Now Pitt Thetas turn their attentions to the gay activities of Spring Festival and the yearly climax, our formal dinner dance.

1 March 1950

MARY JO VAN GUNDY

Born: To Mr and Mrs W. C. Clippinger (Betty Louise Sapp) a daughter, Christine Nelson, July 28, 1949, 3 Windsor Lane, Kirkwood 22, Mo. The Clippinger's also have two sons.

Purdue (Alpha Chi)

Alpha Chi welcomes another new member: Jeanne Woodburn initiated February 12.

Rush is over for another semester. We had a lot of fun at our rush party, turning the house into the "Stork Club" for the evening. In its floor show, Nelly Letcher (alias Marilyn Anderson) sang a couple of songs. Sally Sharpless was mistress of ceremony. Marilyn Garrett, and Cynthia Sargeant also were on the program. Phi Gamma Delta serenaded at our Preference dinner. Climaxing rush week we pledged twenty-one marvelous girls: Nancy Daugherty, Alice Mead, Jene Nickel, Pamele Nolan, and Betty Allen, Indianapolis; Mary Ellen Binney and Barbara Gay, Lafayette; Deborah Brown, Joliet, Illinois; Dorothy Bryson, Chattanooga, Tennessee; Katherine Daeschner, Birmingham, Michigan; Nancy Barber, Munster; Paula Hoover, Long Beach, California; Connie Hudson, South Bend; Carlotta Pevler, Newtown; Martha Phillips, Gary; Betty Schroyer, West Lafayette; Shirley Smith, West Plains, New Jersey; Sarah Lee Meld, Dru Somers and Jane Somers, Fort Wayne; and Jeanne Woeste, Cincinnati, Ohio.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon entertained our pledges at a dinner party, after which the whole chapter was invited to a social evening.

We were proud when Tudy Golden was chosen "Midwest Dream Girl of Pi Kappa Alpha." Mr Albert Stewart, Director of Purdue Musical organizations, chose Tudy out of a group of five.

Mrs. Alta Sembower told us of her experiences in Theta at our Founders'-day luncheon. Mrs Betty Burke, Lafayette alumnae Scholarship chairman gave these scholarship awards to Alpha Chi chapter: a plaque on which will be engraved the name of the girl with the highest index each semester, a crested ring to be worn each semester by the girl who has improved her index the most, and a cup to be awarded to the class with the highest index. The awards will be presented at our Recognition dinner, April 13.

Jane Somers, Donna Field, Marty Christian, and Nancy Staggs were initiated into Triton. Shirley Schaffner was elected to Kappa Delta Pi. 28 February 1950

CHARLOTTE HILT

Married: Phyllis Spencer to Richard Hyatt, E. Main st. Crawfordsville, Ind.—Vivian Phelps to Lt

Howard W. Meute, c/o Lt H. W. Meute, AO-822226 Hq. & Hq. Sq. 61st T.C. Wing, Rhein Main AFB, APO 57, c/o Postmaster, New York, N.Y.—Evelyn Blackford to Mr Shute, Waynetown rd. Crawfordsville, Ind.—Jane Roberts to Arthur E. Strathman Jr. 131 S. 8th st. St. Charles, Mo.—Elinor Hilton to Carl M. Thomas, 187B, Forest blvd. Park Forest, Chicago Hts., Ill.

Randolph-Macon (Beta Beta)

Promoted to the ranks of full-pledged Thetas, fifteen happy pledges received their badges February 26. A snow storm the night before turned Randolph-Macon campus into a cold Winterland, but no one let a little snow interfere with such a grand day. New members are: Peggy Anderson, Shirley Abbott, Martha Andrews, Pam Brown, Jo Childs, Robbie Dell Denney, Faye Edwards, Marilyn Fisher, Ann Frankenburg, Betty Gardner, Virginia Holland, Nancy Holloway, Roselle Holt, Zita Martin, Kay Rosselot.

At initiation banquet no one was surprised when the scholarship cup was awarded to Martha Andrews, for she had one of the two highest averages in the college's freshman class. Outstanding pledge was Peggy Anderson, who not only made good grades but who also spent much time in the modern dance department.

At the college Valentine party two Thetas were announced for May Court: Neva Baine and Jo Ann Denman.

The Dean's list for last semester named these Thetas: Jane Holland, Ruth Lynch, Annette Kimbrough, Margot Holt, Kitty Williams, Martha Andrews, and Kay Rosselot.

To raise our scholarship average, we have adopted a plan to match girls in pairs for grade competition. Each loser buys her opponent's dinner.

The Senior play, February 25, was *Berkeley Square*. The starring role was played by Vivian Vinther. After the play we all know which is her room, for nailed over the door is a large star. And she deserves it. Among other actresses was Thetas Donna Kennedy and Ann Perdue.

In elections for next year's Student Government officers, Dot Adda was chosen secretary. Dot also has been brought out Eta and Am Sam. Vivian Vinther is now a Quill Driver. Donna Kennedy was brought out as the Valentine Omega.

March 1 a style show sponsored by the college social committee is headed by Donna Kennedy. Theta models will be Shirley Abbott and Jean Ann Hirschi. At the Social committee dance February 18, Phi Gamma Delta pledges from Washington and Lee were invited as dates for Theta pledges. The lodge was open also that evening for refreshments, songs, and more dancing.

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JEAN ANN HIRSCHI

Married: Alice Mantz to Robert S. Stooker, 615 N. Dubuque, Iowa City, Ia.—Frances Barbara Watkins to Charles Luther Board, Box B, Point Marion, Pa.—Marie Carver to D. C. Britt, 465 Maple Hill dr. Hackensack, N.J.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Kelsey Walker (Elizabeth Durham) a second child, Susan Freeman, Oct. 4, 1949, 21 Sunset Terr, Ren'Wyck, Troy, N.Y.

Rollins (Gamma Gamma)

Gamma Gamma is happy to announce the pledging of Ann Garretson, Ashland, Ohio, February 20. A few weeks previous, February 5, initiated were ten girls: Barbara Davis, Marian Eberson, Patsy Edmundson, Jane Ernster, Virginia Fischbeck, Marianne Kuhn, Grace La Venture, Kay McDonnell, Lois Paxton, and Linda Shults. At the banquet everyone enjoyed a delicious steak dinner.

We are looking forward to Theta State day, April 1 at the Seminole hotel in Winter Park. Gamma Gamma is happy to act as host for this affair. The program, includes a luncheon at the hotel, and a tea afterwards at the Theta house. We plan to show slides of the Institute of Logopedics, and to have Mrs Banta as speaker.

Gamma Gamma participates with enthusiasm in many activities at Rollins. In the realm of sports, Theta came in second in the basketball intramurals, along with Alpha Phi and the Independents. Three Thetas are now members of Varsity basketball team: Virginia Apgar, Mary Bland Dew, and Janet Patton. Golf and tennis intramurals will soon begin. Lois Paxton and Mary Ann Hobart will represent the chapter in tennis, while Marianne Kuhn, Ann Garretson and Mary Ann Hobart will enter the golf tournament.

Thetas played an active part in Rollins Founders'-Week celebration, the Inauguration of the new President of the college, and the annual publication of the *Animated magazine*. Janet Patton, secretary of Student council, was chosen

one of the hostesses for the Inaugural luncheon. Six Thetas volunteered their services for the entire week-end to chauffeur, serve at dinners, and usher.

We were pleasantly surprised by a visit from the Mother of Mrs. R. J. McCutchan, Grand first vice-president, her mother also being a Theta.

Gamma Gamma is indebted to its president, Marcia Mulholland, who played a more than active part in all campus activities. She is an honor roll student, editor of *Tomokan* college yearbook. We shall certainly feel lost without her next year.

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MARY BLAND DEW

San Jose (Gamma Xi)

Many changes are evident at the chapter house. We have a new housemother, Miss Helen Lyman, who is just wonderful. A tea was given in her honor November 3.

The scholarship bracelet was awarded to Jacqueline Hicks for the greatest improvement in grades. Doreen Reeve's name was engraved on the scholarship plaque for having the highest grades spring quarter.

Our Mothers' club and San Jose Theta alumnae chapter played Santa Claus to Gamma Xi at Christmas time by presenting a thousand uses service table to the chapter house kitchen. We are so proud of our active alumnae and our Mothers' club!

Theta and Sigma Alpha Epsilon had their annual Christmas party December 11, for children from the Home of benevolence. Presents and entertainments were provided.

Betty King and Nancy Rundle received guards for their badge from the chapter for outstanding activities participation. January 15 La Verne Kneeshaw and Barbara Bright were initiated. Chosen to attend the Installation of the Theta chapter at Santa Barbara, were Jeanne Lockwood and Barbara Bright. Charming Jacqueline Hicks was selected as an attendant in the recent Theta Chi Dream Girl contest.

Rush season opened January 22 with a tea at the home of Mrs John C. Wilson, alumna. The second affair was at the chapter house on a French theme. The third party also was at the house, with decorations carried out in Theta colors. Pledging was February 1. Gamma Xi has eighteen pledges: Phyllis Agarastas and

Carolyn Doney, Burlingame; Betsy Amick and Barbara Queener, Sacramento; Carma Austin, Janet Trittschuh, Nancy Childrey, Charlotte Cuneo, and Barbara Driscoll, San Jose; Joline Clary, Los Gatos; Carol Cloudsley, Stockton; Barbara Pearce and Nancy Dean, San Francisco; Alice Dougherty, Whittier; Elizabeth Hayes, Merced; Betty Jean Powell, Hollister; Jayne Travis, Honolulu; and Shirley Van Doren, South Pasadena.

February 10 a formal dance in honor of pledges was given at Mira Vista country club in Richmond. Deborah Downer gave a buffet dinner at her home in Richmond prior to the dance for Thetas, their escorts, and friends. The pledges were honored by the chapter after the dance with a slumber party at the chapter house.

The eightieth birthday of Kappa Alpha Theta was celebrated February 11 by Gammas and San Jose alumnae at a buffet luncheon in the chapter house for which the alumnae were hostesses. Guests from Palo Alto and San Francisco also were present. The afternoon's program included the introduction of guests by Mrs Jack Cook, alumnae president, and of pledges by Patricia Turner. The Founders-day ceremony, and the installation of the San Jose State college chapter in 1948 were toasted by Miss Bernice Tompkins, faculty adviser. Special guests were Mrs Edith Cory Alexander, San Jose, and Mrs Eugenie Lengdstrom Colby, Palo Alto, each of them a Theta for more than sixty years.

26 February 1950

SHIRLEY SMART

Married: Barbara Harvey to Bob Whitham.—Priscilla Arrowood to Clemmet Perrucci.—Jean Klotzbach to Don Donovan.—Margo Blake to Robert Warburton.—Jeanne Hjilm to John D. Gill.—Sally Madison to Eugene F. Timpe.

Born: To Mr and Mrs Ditz Webster (Betty Young) a son, Douglas Richard.

South Dakota (Alpha Rho)

With the arrival of the new semester Alpha Rho plunged into activities with renewed vigor. Irene O'Conner is active in dramatics. Jean Geppert is Business manager of *Wet Hen*, humor magazine. Patsy Spain won the honor of having her badge given her by the chapter, for winning the highest scholastic average as a pledge. Her average was 93.0 which enables her to become a pledge of Alpha Lambda Delta, along with Marion Rathbun, Carol

Whitt, Carol Clark, and Barbara Barrett.

Founders'-day the chapter entertained Vermillion Alumnae at a delightful dessert party. The initiation service was reviewed and a tribute paid to each of the four Founders.

The talk of campus now turns to *Strollers*, annual vaudiville show. Each social organization furnishes a ten minute variety act. Thetas are working with Phi Delta Theta to produce *Harlem Wedding*. "Blues" music and black faces will set the scene for Hattie's wedding. The music, acting, scenery, and costumes are a big job but provide many good times for everyone. Vermillion mothers of Thetas were entertained at a dessert at the chapter house. An eventful spring season will include Greek Week, Interfraternity sing, Swingout, and selection of Mortar board members.

Peggy Buck (daughter of Margaret Sharp Buck) Sioux Falls, and Lavonne Mox, Scotland, are new pledges.

Initiated February 26 were Mary Jean Whiting, Barbara Barrett, Jane Caldwell, Carol Ann Clark, Dorothy Clark, Gertrude Hasse, June Hedbloom, Donna Lien, Virginia Paulson, Marion Rathbun, Mary Jo Sieler, Patsy Spain, Nancy Stakke, Nancy Thomson, and Carol Witt.
26 February 1950 ROSEMARY HACKETT

Married: Catherine Coleman to Carl Peters, Jan. 28.—Norma Rapalee to Warner Imig, 780 16th st. Boulder, Col.—Roberta Jean Olsen to Joseph Fortner, 60 Perry st. New York, N.Y.—Vivian Murphy to Walter Mikulich, W. Allis, Wis.

Southern California (Omicron)

Two outstanding parties highlighted our social calendar recently. Beta Theta Pi and Kappa Alpha Theta gave a successful informal dance at the Gaylord hotel. February 17, pledges honored us at a party at Balboa. We dined and danced at the Castaways club to Hawaiian music.

Everyone had a marvelous time at Founders'-Day luncheon. Diane Connolly told the assembled Thetas about our chapter, and we exchanged songs with Beta Xi.

We gained five grand pledges last rush season: Diane Sherman (sister of Joanne Sherman McIntosh), Audrey Dahlinger, Joyce Newcomer, Judith Miller, and Ann Vierhus. Sally Meier was our capable rush chairman.

26 February 1950

JANET MACLEOD

Southern Methodist (Beta Sigma)

No letter received 14 March 1950

Married: Madeleine Keene to James Swarbrick, 1212 Stockton st. Bakersfield, Cal.—Grace Marian Waters to James Richard Moore, Phi Kappa Psi, Nov. 25, 1949, 4051 Hawthorne Apts. 3, Dallas, Tex.

Stanford (Phi)

Married: Margaret Wallace to Clark B. Graham, 6115 S.E. 34th st. Portland 2, Ore.—Rebecca Stribling to Willard D. Libby, 202 Kenwood av. Rochester 11, N.Y.

Syracuse (Chi)

Almost Spring, and Syracuse is swamped in snow. It was wonderful for Mo Dollard to have snow for her Winter Carnival preparations. We had a frozen funnies theme for our snow sculpture, so, with the aid of the pledges we had Henry bounding across the front lawn on skis. Mo not only did a fine job as chairman of Carnival, but also won the slalom race at the ski meets week-end. Thetas won the cup for the Women's ski team at the races that weekend too.

The Panhellenic banquet two weeks off, calls for busy preparations for the Theta skit there. Theta won the cup for the best theme for the banquet.

We are trying something new this semester, and are pleased with results: an informal evening of bridge and dancing at the chapter house. People drift in and out at odd hours, and the atmosphere is casual and pleasant. The fireplace is ablaze and we toast marshmallows and sing our songs. It gives the fellows who date Thetas a marvelous opportunity to get to know one another.

Betsy Zerega, junior pledge, went down to Bowdoin for the Winter weekend, where she was elected Carnival Queen.

Winnie Teeson will take a group of eleven girls to Europe on Simmons Tours this summer. Five of the eleven are Syracuse Thetas. We will be overseas for about two months. Winnie was in Europe last summer, and plans a wonderful itinerary for this year's trip.

25 February 1950 JOAN TURK

Married: Barbara Lonergan to Bennet F. Coughlin, 1203 Central av. Albany, N.Y.—Joan Kendrick to Clifford Hewins, 1260 Park av. Rochester, N.Y.—Hildegard Haight to Frank McLaughlin, 71 Sher-

brooke dr. Dayton 9, O.—Cynthia Lounsbury to Raymond Schumacher, 7792 Stilwell rd. Cincinnati 16, O.—Kathleen Haberle to George Symes, 241 Stiles st. Stratford, Conn.—Jean Manier to Larue Waddell, 185 Clifton pl. Syracuse, N.Y.—Nancy Aubel to James W. Welch Jr. 3819 Florence dr. Alexandria, Va.—Idella Grosvenor to Thomas Farmer, 511 S. Main st. Geneva, N.Y.—Mary Jean Kimber to Bruce Crain, Norwich, N.Y.

Born: To Mr and Mrs C. H. Vondracek (Jean Ide) a daughter, Aug. 18, 1949, 4331 1st av. S.E. Cedar Rapids, Ia.

New Address: Frederica Smith Biorn-Hansen (Mrs J. F.) 263 Houston av. Syracuse, N.Y.

Texas (Alpha Theta)

Sara May McCampbell has been successful recently in speech competitions. She participated in the Southwestern Speech Tournament at Baylor university February 6-8 and brought home two trophies. This was an honor, since there were seven states represented in the competition. The two awards that Sara May received were the Senior girls' Debate trophy and Senior girls' Extemporaneous trophy.

Mardi Gras prevailed February 24 as the theme of our formal dance. Hildegard Johns, head of decorations, saw to it that balloons and masks were in profusion.

We are busily preparing for Varsity Carnival, an interfraternity benefit, participated in by all chapters of fraternities on campus. We hope to win a prize for the most original concession, with a cotton candy booth built like a bale of cotton. Theta's candidate for Varsity Carnival Queen is Billie Lou Lockett.

Out of our pledge class of 44, 37 made grades eligible for initiates. New February pledges are Marie Bolton and Sara Don Cocke, Waco; Ann Lyles, Austin; Patsy Stallworth, Loveland, Judy Stewart, Ft. Worth.

27 February 1950 MARGARET H. LEWIS

Married: Mary Martha Monning to Charles Patrick Oles, Aug. 1949, 3705 Congress st. Dallas, Tex.—Hilda McElhenny to L. B. Griffith Jr. 4007 av. A, Austin, Tex.—Thelma Trigg to Larry Moore, Ruidoso, N.M.

Born: To Mr and Mrs H. I. Bremner (Mary Nees) a son, Theodore Nees, Oct. 5, 1949, 6510 18th st. N.E. Seattle 5, Wash.—To Mr and Mrs David Loving Jr. (Jane Monning) a son, John Nichols, Sept. 5, 1949, 6320 Belmont st. Dallas 14, Tex.—To Mr and Mrs J. F. Browder (Georgette Covo) a son, Jack Forrester Jr. Feb. 3, Grosebeck, Tex.—To Mr and Mrs R. N. Campbell Jr. (Jacqueline Covo) a son, Robert Neil III, Aug. 8, 1949, 120 Lake blvd. San Antonio, Tex.—To Dr and Mrs A. J. Decker (Marie

Williams) a son, Jeffrey Williams, Feb. 21, 1133 Jefferson st. Wenatchee, Wash.

Vanderbilt (Alpha Eta)

Initiation was foremost among January activities. January 23, the chapter held Loyalty Service for pledges. A supper for members and pledges at the chapter House immediately followed the service.

February 24 came Founders'-day banquet for pledges, members, and alumnae. It was an informal buffet supper, followed by the annual awards: to the best pledge, Margaret Hayes, and to the pledge with the highest average, Dudley Brown with a straight A average. The theme of the pledge skit was a comic history of Alpha Eta chapter. Then came a highly entertaining representation of different periods of college life by alumnae dressed appropriately in the costumes of their respective college days, singing songs popular at those different times, and demonstrating those days' popular dance steps.

January 29, eleven pledges were initiated: Frances Brooks, Dudley Brown, Margaret Hayes, Ann Ward, Marilyn Fisch and Sarah Longino, Josephine Holmes, Hildegard O'Bannon, Betty Sue Volz, Catherine Ware, and Carolyn Womack. Soon after initiation Mellie Fisch was elected to Honor Council. February 15 we repledged and initiated Martha Waller, who immediately assumed responsibility as song leader for the Athenian Sing next term.

February 3, Nashville Theta alumnae, under the direction of Mrs David Huggins, gave the annual Bal D'Hiver, complete with court and queen crowned by Governor Browning. It was a huge success, and a great deal of fun for young and old alike. A large percentage of the proceeds will go to the Institute of Logopedics.

Representing Theta at Junior Prom were Bebe Sims, who presided as Queen, and Virginia Earthman, last year's Miss Vanderbilt, elected to the court. Mary Ellen Coverdale was crowned Phi Kappa Sigma girl at the annual Phi Kappa Sigma dance. Lallie Hudgins won the title of Lady of the Masque, proclaiming her the most beautiful Vanderbilt coed.

In the field of sports Theta progressed to the semi-finals in ping pong and to finals in basketball.

27 February 1950

MAY WILSON

Married: Mary Elizabeth Schlater to Horace Day, Lillian dr. Orlando, Fla.

Born: To Mr and Mrs C. W. Kunz Jr. (Mary May Paschall) a daughter, Mary Douglass, Oct. 21, 1949, 411 Ivanhoe st. Denver, Col.

Vermont (Lambda)

The week of February 12 was a busy one for Thetas. On the 13th, Mary Barr, Lois Donnellan, and Mary Martin were initiated. The following morning we pledged Patricia Carey, Ludlow; Elizabeth Clark, Burlington; Ann Crowley, Millis, Massachusetts; Nancy Gilson, Kenmore, New York; Claire Hannington, N. Darien, Connecticut; Mary Elizabeth James, Albany, New York; and Margaret Van Nuys, Manasquam, New Jersey.

Kake Walk burst upon our little collegiate world with unexpected enthusiasm and energy this year. A clever and original campaign for King and Queen brought excitement to a high pitch. All in all, Kake Walk was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone.

February 14 Burlington Theta alumnae gave a Founders'-day supper. Mrs French, Grand president, was the speaker. At present, we are looking forward to the visit of our District president, Mrs Shattuck.

To be initiated in April—Mary Bulen, Pat Carey, Betsy Clark, Ann Crowley, Nancy Gilson, Claire Hannington, Nancy Hoyt, Mary Lib James, Betty Johanson, Edythe Marsh, Peggy Van Nuys, Sue Wilson, Jane Wray.
27 February 1950 MARGARET ATKINSON

Married: Sara Eno Sherman to Elson A. Hurlburt, E. Charlotte, Vt.—Louise Nolte to Rudolf L. Hirso, Middlebury, Vt.

Washburn (Alpha Upsilon)

Alpha Upsilon celebrated Founders'-day at the Hotel Jayhawk, January 13. After dinner Barbara Lyon was presented the Thelma Hobson Pyle, diamond-pointed, memorial pin, as the outstanding junior in the chapter. Topeka alumnae chapter will present this pin each Founders'-day in memory of Mrs Pyle, an outstanding alumna of this chapter. The pledges entertained by singing their songs.

Carla Sweet and Peggy Roe, Topeka, and Barbara Rouse, Independence, are new pledges.

At the Panhellenic Sweetheart ball February 10, Beverly Efaw was crowned Theta queen. Each Panhellenic group was represented by a

queen chosen from four candidates. Joan Vinaroff is our delegate to national convention. Joan, a junior, is Theta house president, a member of Topeka Civic orchestra and of Washburn orchestra, and secretary of the Young Republicans' club. Judy Hagerty is Theta candidate for yearbook queen.

March 24, following the traditional white dinner, initiated were—Carolyn Campbell (sister of Martha Ellen), Shirley Duckworth, Beverly Efaw, Ruth Hille, Sally Oman (daughter of Mary Rogers Oman), Rosalie Price, Patricia Rose, Katrina Swartz, and Jean Ann Wieligman. The Theta house was gay with a lively group of initiates at the slumber party that night. The following Sunday, in honor of the new members, the chapter attended church services as a group.

MARTHA ELLEN CAMPBELL

28 February 1950

Married: Maxine Gossett to Stanley Emerson, 435 Tyler st. Topeka, Kan.

Adoption: Mr and Mrs J. R. Wilson (Barbara King) announce the adoption of a son, Thomas King, Jan. 12, 822 Poyntz av. Manhattan, Kan.

Born: To Dr and Mrs W. R. Anderson (Burdette Holm) a son, William Bradford, Oct. 5, 1949, 5136 Marathon st. Los Angeles, Cal.

Washington, St. Louis (Alpha Iota)

No letter received

14 March 1950

Married: Sally Pierce to Edward Langan Jr. 7355 Lindell blvd. University city, Mo.—Abby Elder to Robert Kellar Winkelmeyer.—Charlotte Biernatzki to Mr Jeltsch, 1639 Summit rd. Roselawn, Cincinnati, O.

Washington, Seattle (Alpha Lambda)

Here in Seattle blizzards and snow gave Thetas opportunity to ski and slide during an unusual winter season. However, weather didn't interrupt a crowded activity and social calendar.

Probably the most outstanding event of winter quarter was initiation of a fine group of pledges January 27, following a memorable inspiration week. Initiated were—Jill Chamberlain, Alice Erickson, Jacklyn Forler, Giovanna Frost, Jacqueline Frost, Harriet Hill, Ann Kellogg, Janice Leavitt, Betsy Ann Lindsay, Patricia Maxfield, Christy McCaskill, Joanne Newsome, Carol Taylor, Carole Zimmerman, Mary Lou Zimmerman.

Founders'-day was celebrated by the college and alumnae chapters the next day. Speeches

were built around the timely idea of a television network. A lovely new Theta song, a contribution from the new initiates, was sung for the first time on this occasion.

Congratulations are in order to Mary Jean Cochrane, recently elected secretary of AWS. She was also chairman of the program committee for Varsity ball February 11.

On the social side, pledges and new initiates honored the chapter with a dance February 21. The new chapter house recreation room proved and ideal setting with the theme, "Silver Sails," lending a nautical atmosphere.

26 February 1950

JANINE EKLUND

Married: Marion Hughes to Mr Finnegan, 703 Bellevue av. N. Apt. D-41, Seattle 2, Wash.—Marilyn Steinmetz to William A. Lynch, 425, 3201 W. Concord Way, Mercer Island, Wash.

Washington State (Alpha Sigma)

Alpha Sigma is proud of its pledges. Recipients of Motor board tassle award for freshman women with outstanding scholarship were Jean Meese, Melanie Twohy, Donna Wood, and Marianne Troy.

Joan Hane has been appointed production manager of radio station, KWSC. Jo, also, had the lead in the latest play, *Accidentally Yours*. Nancy Graham recently was elected secretary of Y-Dub, and a sponsor for Scabbard and Blade.

A semester highlight was our annual "Friendship dinner-dance," in February. Thirty-six couples dined on turkey, and danced in the "Old West" atmosphere.

Founders'-day was celebrated at the chapter house February 19, with members of Pullman alumnae club attending.

Several faculty members were entertained at dinner in their honor February 24. A fireside was enjoyed at the chapter house the first Friday after Christmas vacation. After refreshments, couples spent the evening dancing and playing games. Beans were given for points won in various card games. At the end of playing time a prize was awarded to the person with the largest number of beans. February 9 witnessed a potluck exchange between our chapter and Sigma Phi Epsilon. Entertainment and dancing followed the evening dinner.

20 February 1950

BETTY FOLSOM

Married: Helen Malmo to Mr Foord, 756 Herman st. Peterboro, Ont. Can.—Shirley Cole to Rodney

Aschenbreuner.—Janice Hendricks to James Simonton.

New Addresses: Betty Power Bullock (Mrs Richard) 16511 22d st. N.E. Seattle, Wash.—Marie Wilcoxen Duffy (Mrs Don) 2001 S. Curtis st. Alhambra, Cal.

Western Ontario (Gamma Epsilon)

No letter received 14 March 1950

William and Mary (Beta Lambda)

No letter received 14 March 1950

Born: To Mr and Mrs D. E. Edmunds (Dorothy Acurk) a daughter, Linda Ann, Dec. 1, 1949, 1380 Pinellas rd. Bellair, Fla.

Wisconsin (Psi)

Connie Keuchel recently was initiated into Wisconsin Players, of which Rita Zo Brown is president. Phi Delta Theta chose Joan Henderson to be its sweetheart at its winter formal January 14. Joan Leaf was elected a member of Hendie's sweetheart court.

Louise Bajace was named assistant chairman for Junior Prom, to be May 5. She will assist the executive general chairman in planning the big dance. Louise is contacts chairman for WSGA, and has served on Orientation and Senior Swingout committees, and in Campus Chest drive.

Barbara Kropp, Mary Bryan, Betty Bushey, and Mary Olberg are among 40 semi-finalists for Military ball court of honor, from among whom

twelve girls will be chosen. This ball is always an outstanding campus formal. Frankie Carle will provide its dance music. June Meyer and Ramona Zach won top honors in Phi Upsilon Omicron, professional home economics club. Both took part in Agriculture college talent show.

Euthenic club had its annual style show in February. Donna Jean Lappely, Luanne Lewis, June Meyer, and Marilyn Smith modeled clothes made by home economics majors.

Psi welcomes four pledges from spring rushing: Sue Johnson, Chicago; Gretchen Jorgenson and Mary Schwenker, Madison; Coralie Steudle, Bay Shore, New York.

28 February 1950 GEORGE R. BREWER

Married: Barbara Ann Simonsen to Theodore R. Walker, June 17, 1949. Mount Lebanon, Pa.—Mary Jane Grim to Raymond J. Kluberton, Jr., June 18, 1949.—Rita Zo Brown to Vernon L. Peterson, July 3, 1949.—Barbara Kaye Janney to Richard C. Gamble, Sept. 17, 1949.—June Herrick to Robert W. Long, Oct. 8, 1949.—Frances Carroll Lockhart to Eugene E. Hustad, June 25, 1949 Watertown, S.D.—Betty Butler to Malcolm G. Millar, Sept. 2, 1949.—Dorothy Irene Krueger to Willet R. Ranney, Oct. 15, 1949.—Elizabeth Ellen Terry to William Be. Everson, June 25, 1949.—Jean Lawrence to Richard Vollrath, 417 Clement av. Sheboygan, Wis.—Joan Pieri to Jack Moore, Trailer 146, Monroe Park, Madison, Wis.

Born: To Mr and Mrs K. C. Mirov (Josephine Colman) a son, David Colman, Dec. 8, 1949, 81 Rock Lane, Berkeley, Cal.—To Mr and Mrs F. J. Mancheski (Mariella Gardner), a daughter, Nov. 16, 1949.

Membership Selection

Have you considered "rushing" as "membership selection?" That is the approved and more correct term, for in spite of the rush so frequently connected with this activity, you are in reality selecting the future members of the Fraternity. While fraternities are sometimes criticized for this phase of campus life, if entertaining is done on a simple scale, emphasizing a chance to meet and know prospective members, rather than elaborate entertainment, if there is no publicity given to the rushing and pledging activities to make nonfraternity women unhappy, and if membership selection is on a high plane, judging prospective pledges on scholarship, activities, character, and congeniality, many of the criticisms would be overcome. Membership selection in all Theta Upsilon chapters, based on recommendations and personal contact, should always be of the highest and finest.

Alumnæ and chapter members both have a responsibility for membership selection.

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ALPHA, 1870	DePauw	Mary Elise Euler	K A Θ House, Greencastle, Ind.
BETA, 1870	Indiana	Ann Schafer	Theta House, Bloomington, Ind.
GAMMA, 1874	Butler	Beverly Cox	825 W. Hampton dr. Indianapolis, Ind.
DELTA, 1875	Illinois	Barbara Johnson	611 E. Daniel st. Champaign, Ill.
ETA, 1879	Michigan	Patricia Cotter	1414 Washtenaw av. Ann Arbor, Mich.
IOTA, 1881	Cornell	Harriett Washburn	118 Triphammer rd. Ithaca, N.Y.
KAPPA, 1881	Kansas	Sue Springer	1433 Tennessee st. Lawrence, Kan.
LAMBDA, 1881	Vermont	Jean Hageman	215 S. Prospect st. Burlington, Vt.
GAMMA DEUT. 1924	Ohio Wesleyan	Nancy Simons	Austin Hall, Delaware, O.
*MU, 1881	Allegheny	Eleanor Miller	165 Brooks Hall, Allegheny, Meadville, Pa.
OMICRON, 1887	So. California	Barbara Hamman	653 W. 28th st. Los Angeles (36) Cal.
RHO, 1887	Nebraska	Harriet Seidel	1545 S st. Lincoln, Neb.
TAU, 1887	Northwestern	Janet Ising	619 University pl. Evanston, Ill.
UPSILON, 1889	Minnesota	Patricia Norton	314 10th av. S.E. Minneapolis, Minn.
CHI, 1889	Syracuse	Johanna M. Foess	306 Walnut pl. Syracuse, N.Y.
PSI, 1890	Wisconsin	Louella Ettinger	237 Lakelawn pl., Madison, Wis.
OMEGA, 1890	California	Sally Stankard	2723 Durant av. Berkeley (4) Cal.
ALPHA GAMMA, 1892	Ohio State	Nancy Craver	1861 Indianola av. Columbus (1), O.
*ALPHA DELTA, 1896	Goucher	Nancy Jane Heckel	Goucher College, Towson 4, Md.
ALPHA ETA, 1904	Vanderbilt	Nancy Garrison	2114 West End av. Nashville, Tenn.
ALPHA THETA, 1904	Texas	Shirley Neely	2401 Pearl st. Austin, Tex.
*ALPHA IOTA, 1906	Washington (St. Louis)	Ione Hedges	9 Westmoreland pl. St. Louis, Mo.
*ALPHA KAPPA, 1907	Adelphi	Helen G. Tiffany	112-26-197 st. St Albans, N.Y.
ALPHA LAMBDA, 1908	Washington	Patricia Dowzard	4521-17th av. N.E. Seattle, Wash.
ALPHA MU, 1909	Missouri	Carol King Hoyt	705 Kentucky bd. Columbia, Mo.
ALPHA NU, 1909	Montana	Carol Helmer	1020 Gerald av. Missoula, Mont.
ALPHA XI, 1909	Oregon	Barbara Fagg	791 E. 15th st. Eugene, Ore.
ALPHA OMICRON, 1909	Oklahoma	Beth Ann Pound	845 Chautauqua st. Norman, Okla.
ALPHA PI, 1911	North Dakota	Kathleen Manion	210 International av. E, Grand Forks Minn.
ALPHA RHO, 1912	South Dakota	Mary Kay Dake	725 E. Clark st. Vermillion, S.D.
ALPHA SIGMA, 1913	Washington state	Peggy Reser	603 California st. Pullman, Wash.
ALPHA TAU, 1913	Cincinnati	Patricia Gill	2711 Clifton av. Cincinnati, O.
ALPHA UPSILON, 1914	Washburn	Enid Joyce Cochran	KAΘ Washburn Campus, Topeka, Kan.
*ALPHA PHI, 1914	Newcomb	Adrienne Aitkens	7707 Nelson st. New Orleans, La.
ALPHA CHI, 1915	Purdue	Nancy Burchell	172 Littleton st. W. Lafayette, Ind.
*ALPHA PSI, 1915	Lawrence	Patricia Blum	Russell Sage Hall, Appleton, Wis.
ALPHA OMEGA, 1915	Pittsburgh	Mary Lou Wetmore	5752 Ellsworth av. Pittsburgh, Pa.
*BETA BETA, 1916	Randolph-Macon	Vivian Vinther	Box 190, R.M.W.C. Lynchburg, Va
BETA GAMMA, 1917	Colorado state	Mary Louise Connors	639 S. College av. Fort Collins, Col.
BETA DELTA, 1917	Arizona	Beverly Clark	1050 N. Mountain av. Tucson, Ariz.
BETA EPSILON, 1917	Oregon state	Helen Findley	145 N. 21st st. Corvallis, Ore.
BETA ZETA, 1919	Oklahoma state	Jane E. Hutchison	1323 College st. Stillwater, Okla.
BETA ETA, 1919	Pennsylvania	Ann Webster	238 S. 38th st. Philadelphia, Pa.
BETA THETA, 1920	Idaho	Joan Hutchinson	503 University av. Moscow, Id.

BETA IOTA, 1921.....	Colorado.....	Janise Jacobson.....	1333 University av. Boulder, Col.
BETA KAPPA, 1921.....	Drake.....	Eleanor Nicoll.....	1335-34th st. Des Moines, Ia.
BETA LAMBDA, 1922.....	William & Mary.....	Virginia Crosby.....	Theta House, Williamsburg, Va.
BETA MU, 1922.....	Nevada.....	Jeanne Fulstone.....	863 Sierra st. Reno, Nev.
BETA NU, 1924.....	Florida.....	Dorothy Tapprell.....	510 W. Park st. Tallahassee, Fla.
BETA XI, 1925.....	California, L.A.....	Frances Rogers.....	13052 Evanston st. Beverly Hills, Cal.
BETA OMICRON, 1926.....	Iowa.....	Jean Killinger.....	823 E. Burlington st. Iowa City, Ia.
BETA PI, 1926.....	Michigan state.....	Mary Lois Cole.....	303 Oakhill dr. E. Lansing, Mich.
*BETA RHO, 1928.....	Duke.....	Joan Voegelin.....	Box 6944, College Sta. Durham, N.C.
*BETA SIGMA, 1929.....	Southern Methodist.....	Josie Samuels.....	K A Θ Box, S.M.U. Dallas, Tex.
*BETA TAU, 1929.....	Denison.....	Cindy Small.....	Shaw Hall, Granville, O.
*BETA UPSILON, 1930.....	British Columbia.....	Dianne Cox.....	4518 W. 13th av. Vancouver, B.C. Can.
BETA PHI, 1931.....	Pennsylvania state.....	Elizabeth Swift.....	723 McKee st. State College, Pa.
BETA CHI, 1931.....	Alberta.....	Kathrine J. Taggart.....	10527 87th av. Edmonton, Alta. Can.
BETA PSI, 1932.....	McGill.....	Dorothy Proulx.....	3570 University st. Montreal, Que. Can.
*BETA OMEGA, 1932.....	Colorado college.....	Priscilla Chester.....	Montgomery Hall, Colorado Springs, Colo.
*GAMMA GAMMA, 1933.....	Rollins.....	Patricia Wheaton.....	Rollins college, Winter Park, Fla.
GAMMA DELTA, 1937.....	Georgia.....	Eleanor Jones.....	338 S. Milledge av. Athens, Ga.
GAMMA EPSILON, 1937.....	Western Ontario.....	Anne Johnson.....	100 Cheapside st. London, Ont. Can.
GAMMA ZETA, 1942.....	Connecticut.....	Margaret Colton.....	K A Θ House, Univ. of Conn. Storrs, Conn.
GAMMA ETA, 1943.....	Massachusetts.....	Dianne Speed.....	778 N. Pleasant st. Amherst, Mass.
*GAMMA THETA, 1944.....	Carnegie Tech.....	Ruth Jordan.....	1060 Morewood av. Pittsburgh, Pa.
GAMMA IOTA, 1945.....	Kentucky.....	Louise McDowell.....	1606 Nicholasville rd. Lexington, Ky.
*GAMMA KAPPA, 1946.....	George Washington.....	Nancy C. Roberts.....	4550 Connecticut av. Washington 7, D.C.
GAMMA LAMBDA, 1947.....	Beloit.....	Audre Waggoner.....	Centennial Hall, Beloit, Wis.
GAMMA MU, 1947.....	Maryland.....	Mary Rose Adams.....	Box 122, Univ. of Md. College Park, Md.
GAMMA NU, 1947.....	North Dakota.....	Joan Ross.....	1223 11th av. N. Fargo, N.D.
GAMMA XI, 1948.....	San Jose State.....	Georgia Bulloch.....	184 S. 11th st. San Jose, Cal.
GAMMA OMICRON, 1948.....	New Mexico.....	Marilyn Izzard.....	1801 E. Roma st. Albuquerque, N.M.
GAMMA PI, 1948.....	Iowa State.....	Nancy Dinges.....	2239 Knapp st. Ames, Iowa
*GAMMA RHO, 1950.....	Santa Barbara.....	Elenita Quintero.....	1721 Prospect av. Santa Barbara, Cal.

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